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THIS IS THE 1959  
**SASSAMON**  
 THE YEARBOOK OF THE NATICK, MASSACHUSETTS  
 HIGH SCHOOL

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Back in 1651 when John Eliot was founding the Indian village of Natick his chief guide was John Sassamon.

This year we have invented Little Sass — follow him through the book and we hope — like the girls above that you will find something to cheer about.















MR. FRANCIS CRONAN

## DEDICATION

We, the Class of 1959, lovingly dedicate this, our Senior Yearbook, to Mr. Francis William Cronan who is retiring from teaching.

Mr. Cronan was art teacher in the Coolidge Junior High School from September, 1931, until he was called to active duty with the United States Army in April, 1942. He served as a major in both the European and Pacific theaters, returning to teaching in September, 1945, as a member of the faculty of the Senior High School.

A graduate of Haverhill High School and the Museum School of Fine Arts, Mr. Cronan has brought to all Natick High School pupils an appreciation and better understanding of good scholarship, good sportsmanship, and clean living. His rare sense of humor, keen wit, and sympathetic understanding have endeared him to all.

We wish him many years of health and happiness and hope he will be able to continue his world travels.





MRS. SUSAN GRAY



MR. LOUIS COLOMBO

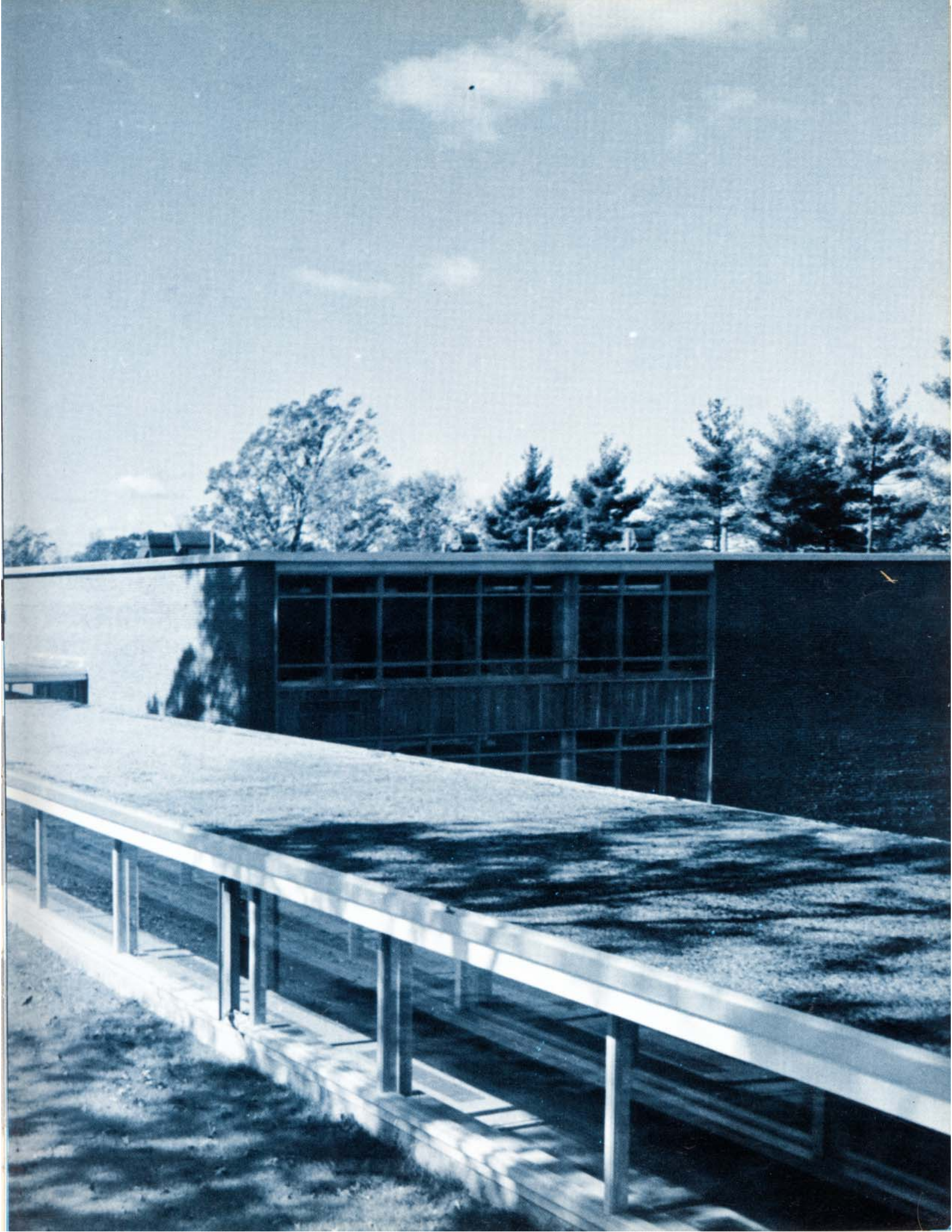
## ADVISORS

The Class of 1959 extends its thanks and appreciation to Mrs. Susan Gray and Mr. Louis Columbo for their untiring interest and unselfish devotion to the solution of our many problems.













MR. HOWARD HENNIGAR, PRINCIPAL



MR. LAWRENCE BARTNICK, VICE PRINCIPAL



# NATICK HIGH SCHOOL FACULTY 1958-1959



Mr. Hennigar



Mr. Bartnick



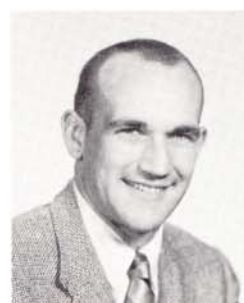
Mr. Anderson



Mr. Andrews



Mr. Bachini



Mr. D. Bennett



Mr. W. Bennett



Mr. Bransfield



Mrs. Brown



Miss Buckley



Mr. Campbell



Mr. Carey







Mr. Carlow



Mr. Casey



Miss Chellis



Mr. Cinkosky



Mr. Collins



Mr. Colombo



Mrs. Colombo



Miss H. Connolly



Miss M. Connolly



Mrs. Mary Connolly



Mrs. Connor



Miss Crawley



Mr. Cronan



Miss Dalton



Mr. DeFelice



Miss Donahoe



Mr. Drown



Mr. Farrell



Mr. Filledes



Miss Finn



Mr. Fitzgerald



Mr. Garnett



Miss Garvey



Mr. Gearan



Mr. Goddard



Mrs. Gray



Miss Hamm



Miss Harrington



Miss Harris



Miss Heagney



Miss Hope



Miss Howard



Mr. Hudson



Miss Kaplan



Mrs. Leach





Miss Leavitt



Mr. Leighton



Mr. Lohman



Mr. LoPresti



Mr. Marcoux



Mr. Marso



Miss McAdams



Mr. McDermott



Mr. McGowan



Mr. McManus



Mrs. Miceli



Mr. Mitro



Mr. Murphy



Miss Mussmaker



Mr. Nowak



Miss Nutt



Mr. O'Sullivan



Miss Painton



Mr. Plausse



Miss Pothier



Miss Rafferty



Mr. Rosen



Miss Shannon



Mr. Shea



Mr. Slamin



Miss Spadoni



Mr. Sticklor



Mr. Swicker



Miss Tillson



Miss Tozer



Mr. Waugh



Mr. Whelan

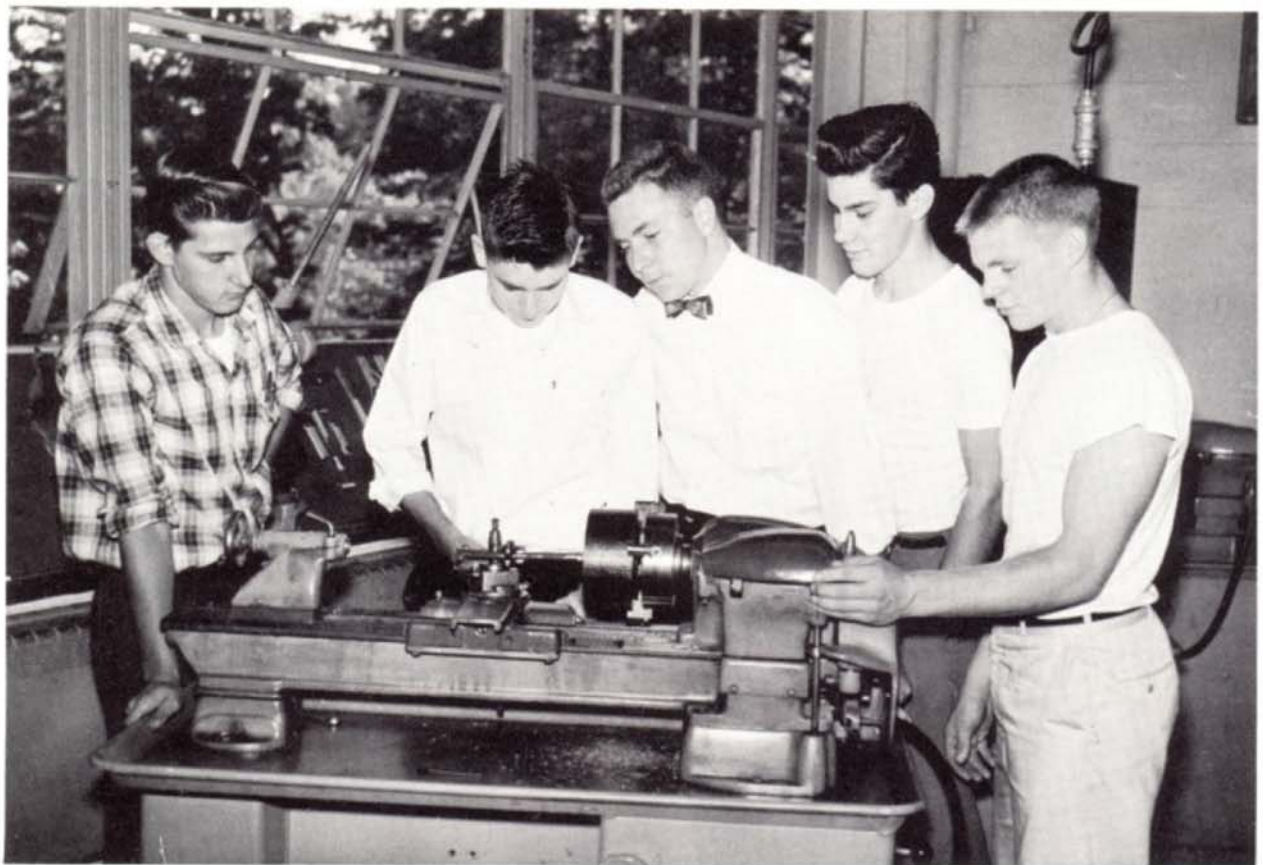


Miss Wildbur



Mr. Woodhams

























# STUDENT GROUPS







#### HONOR SOCIETY

Front row: Miss Crawley, H. Wright, A. Stewart, E. Lee, P. Harcourt, R. Brown, J. Mosman, S. Skeans, S. LeRoux. Second row: L. Bremner, G. Phillips, R. Rogers, N. Sullivan, M. Burke, S. Jansen, C. Biagetti, E. Parsons, S. Brenneman, L. Hayward. Back row: P. Garland, T. Nelson, J. Dowst, P. Galvani.

## 1959 NATICK HIGH SCHOOL CHAPTER



ROBERT ROBINSON

The Natick Chapter of the National Honor Society was organized in September with Miss Helen Crawley as advisor and Harold H. Wright as president. The group have been active all year revising their constitution, working on the Student Handbook, and tutoring underclassmen.

Robert Robinson and Nancy Hunt won recognition by placing in the National Honor Society Scholarship Contest.





Front row: G. Williams, R. Robinson, G. Belisle, A. Martin, J. Kinnear, M. Purcell, N. Hunt, M. Pierce, I. Hillis. Second row: A. Ortenzi, S. Owens, C. Coan, J. Buckler, M. Trundy, V. Pierro, K. Kugell, M. Mirchell, C. Pierro, S. Buswell, J. Burt. Back row: D. Young, S. Haskell, R. Ohlshansky, B. Edmonston, S. Collins.

## NATIONAL HONOR SOCIETY

At the Induction Ceremony in May the Junior members of the society were welcomed. Mr. Howard Hennigar, principal, awarded membership certificates and Mr. Alfred A. Maffeo, Superintendent of Schools, addressed the group.

All members of the group were the guests of the Natick Rotary Club at the Beacon Terrace for luncheon on May 19.



NANCY HUNT





#### STUDENT COUNCIL

Front row: G. Knott, J. Ross, K. Moore, G. Williams, S. Chamberlain, E. Hopf, S. Egan, J. Wilson. Second row: D. Campisi, P. Fitzpatrick, C. Goldrick, R. Allison, J. McClosky, D. Lawrence, J. Andrews, L. Woods, N. Sullivan, P. Kilroy, H. Lawrence, Mr. Carlow. Back row: W. Lewis, J. Hubbard, A. Augustini, T. Bracken, R. Anderson, M. Wilson, R. Pryor, R. Pipe, S. Levesque.

## STUDENT COUNCIL

The Student Council for 1958 and 1959 was under the advisorship of Mr. Emmett Shea and Mr. John Carlow. The officers were George Williams, President; Sandra Chamberlain, Vice President; and Karen Moore, Secretary.

The group of students forming the Student Council sponsored two dances. The first, the Welcome Dance, was held on September 19, the first social function of the year. The Football Dance was held on December 5, with Paul Ambler's orchestra to provide the music.

Students from Wayland High School's Student Council visited Natick High School, and Natick's went to Wayland. They held this exchange to view different

councils, their powers, methods of operating, and to find new ideas to help our school.

Vito Capizzo was elected by the Student Council to receive the Jewish War Veteran Award. It is given to the person who best exemplifies the statement, "Classmate Today, Neighbor Tomorrow."

The Council also discussed a code of ethics for Natick High School. They plan many revisions for the Red and Blue Handbook, which is given to entering freshmen. Other things which were discussed were: Student dress, schedules for midyear and final exams, the school bulletin board, and changing eligibility rules, although no decision was reached on the latter.





## LIBRARY AIDES

This year Miss Harris has had twenty-six library aides to assist her with routine duties. However, this is the first year that Freshman girls have been selected in September to be members of the group. Ten girls have completed their first year as library aides, ten girls have been library aides for two years, and six girls are veteran library aides with three years of experience.

Some of the duties in the library are unnoticed by many but are essential to keep the library functioning properly. A library aide stays at the desk to check books in and out and to receive library permits. At the end of each period a girl returns the library permits to the study teachers. At the begin-

ning of the school year books from the bindery must have pockets pasted in and cards typed; and throughout the year new books have to be checked, stamped, cataloged, and prepared for pupil use. Upstairs the magazine and college catalog sections have to be kept up to date with the latest magazines and college catalogs. Library aides also assist in shelving books and arranging books in order according to their classification numbers. This organization performs many other services, too, such as preparing bulletins, typing reserve lists, and doing numerous errands, in addition to dusting and keeping good order generally.



## CAFETERIA MARSHALLS

Front row: R. Stanley, C. Stromberg, J. McDonald, J. Hall, V. Capizzo, R. Franciose, S. Gould, R. Kent. Second row: W. Suttill, R. Slotnick, D. MacLeod, P. McLaughlin, J. Henderickson, W. Sapanaro, H. Newman. Third row: R. Ward, P. Bemis, D. MacLeod, R. Spinney, R. Cox.





### THE SASSAMON LITERARY STAFF

For the literary staff of the Sassamon, the year 1958-1959 has been one of great activity.

Each staff, in its own field, has tried to make the Sassamon a truly representative publication, a newspaper of which the entire school could feel a part.

We find in each of the Sassamon newspapers published this year, not only the work of the students who have been elected to be reporters and editors, but contributors from the faculty and the general student body.

Miss Patricia Hope of the English department served, once again, as the advisor to the Sassamon. Nancy Hunt was the editor-in-chief and Mary Pierce was the assistant editor.

Karen Moore, news editor, made sure that her reporters were always on hand at newsworthy events. From the Science Fair to the Coed gym, not a "scoop" was missed.

The features staff, under the direction of Karen Kugell, features editor, was in charge of keeping the students happy. The feature pages were filled with jokes, quotes, and pictures.

A close and accurate coverage of "Olympic" games and matches was kept by James Bradford's sports staff. The scores of both girls' and boys'

athletic events were recorded faithfully on the famous back page of the Sassamon.

Celia Biagetti's literary staff supplied the fiction from the pens of Natick High's most notable literary talent.

Ideas from other schools appeared in Dianne Dixon's lively exchange column.

Of course, where would the Sassamon have been without the art staff, the typing staff, and Jonathan Padover (nicknamed "Patient Johnnie"), staff photographer.

When the Sassamascot Contest was held, the industrial arts department made a bright red box and stand to serve as a receptacle for entries. It was neatly lettered by the art department and later, served to receive contributions for the Quips and Queries, Yankee Trader, and general suggestions. The Sassamascot contest was won by Richard Harris, room A-162.

The principle which the Sassamon has tried to apply to itself this year was best summed up by Nancy Hunt in an early editorial. The Sassamon of 1958-1959 has tried to be "a sounding board of student opinion" with something for everyone.

### THE BUSINESS STAFF OF THE SASSAMON

The Business Staff of the Sassamon, our school newspaper, is comparable to the stage hands of a play. Without it the paper could never be published.

The staff is composed mainly of three divisions: first, the managerial; second, advertisement; and third, subscriptions. The manager's responsibility, with the help of his assistant, is to see that the work is done properly and on time; and to see that things run smoothly. Heading the advertisement division of the staff is a very important job. It is that person's responsibility to see that all the merchants of Natick have been solicited for support of the paper, and to see that the bills are issued and the money received from the advertisers. Next on our list is the subscriptions division. The person heading this committee must see that every pupil of Natick High has been approached and urged to buy a subscription to our school newspaper. The work of both divisions is done by all the members of the staff and is assigned by the head.

The business staff can boast of the fine work it has done this year through advertisements and subscriptions. It had record-breaking figures in

both instances — advertisers numbering 105 and subscriptions amounting to 629.

Work for this staff begins almost immediately with the opening of school. Advertisements, which help give the financial support to the paper, must be obtained; typed up; and placed on sheets of paper ready to go to the printer. Also, subscriptions must be obtained from the students. All this work has to be completed before the first issue goes out in October. From then on, the run is slowed down to a walk. However, the bills must be put out and the money received. Each month the ads are set up on sheets of paper to go to the printer; and when the paper returns from the printer, it is the duty of the business staff to fold the papers, and to distribute them to the subscribers. Then, too, complimentary papers are sent out by this staff to every advertiser. This year football buttons were sold and help was given toward the preparation of the Sadie Hawkins Dance, which is put on by the Sassamon.

Under the able assistance of Mr. Murphy and Mr. Anderson, the Sassamon Business Staff has concluded a very enjoyable and successful year.







### Senior Class Officers

President ..... Richard Anderson  
 Vice President ..... Sandra Chamberlain  
 Secretary ..... Karen Alger Moore  
 Treasurer ..... Judith Kinnear



### Junior Class Officers

President .... Stephen Haskell  
 Vice Pres. .... Sherrill Collins  
 Secretary ..... Patricia Smith  
 Treas. .... Paula Chamberlain

### Sophomore Class Officers

President ..... W. Lewis  
 Vice President .... P. Hersey  
 Secretary ..... J. Wilson  
 Treasurer ..... N. Bross







SENIOR EXECUTIVE BOARD

Front row: R. Meagher, J. Kinnear, R. Anderson, S. Chamberlain, K. Moore, C. Coan. Second row: Mrs. Gray, J. Drowne, M. Pierce, L. Woods,

S. Buswell, P. Burt, C. Pinkham, P. Kilroy, Mr. Columbo. Back row: G. Knott, J. Hall, P. Sapanaro, L. Richard, J. McClosky, H. Wright, B. Clark,

### SENIOR EXECUTIVE BOARD

The Senior Executive Board consists of the class officers and the two elected members from each homeroom. The following people served as members for this year: Joyce Burt, Sandra Buswell, Beverly Clark, Joanna Drowne, Carol Hackett, Jerome Hall, Margaret Kilroy, James McClosky, Mary Pierce, Charlene Pinkham, Lee Richards, Paul Sapanaro, Judith Woods, Harold Wright, Richard Anderson, President, Sandra Chamberlain, Vice President, Judith Kinnear, Treasurer, and Karen Moore, Secretary.

The Senior Play, "Dear Ruth," was the first big problem to be discussed. It was decided that the price was to be one dollar per person. The senior class presented the cast members with silver pins and tie clasps for their hard work. The play was a success, and a profit was made.

Next to be decided were preparations for the Christmas Cotillion, with Nat Walsh's orchestra. The decoration committee, under Joyce Burt,

transformed the cafeteria into a fairyland palace for the dance. For the first time, a Yuletide Queen, Marilyn Mitchell, was chosen by the chaperones.

The established price for the yearbook was \$2.50 for seniors and teachers; \$3.00 for underclassmen. The final choice for the size was medium.

Last year's executive board elected Loring as a photographer for our class pictures. The pictures were taken the first week in January, and proofs were returned a week later. Actual pictures were received the first week in March.

The remaining part of the year was spent discussing plans for Senior Week activities and the class reunion. This may seem early to plan a reunion, but many of our classmates won't see each other from graduation day until the reunion.



JUNIOR EXECUTIVE BOARD

Front row: T. Roskey, S. Egan, P. Chamberlain, S. Collins, S. Haskell, P. Smith, D. Mathews, L. Mansell. Second row: N. Ryan, D. Slamin, M. Luttrell, M. Webb, N. Boutillier, J. McClay, C. Parris, C. Goldrick, D.

Davis, C. Biagetti, L. Hayward. Third row: M. Keany, R. Calzini, P. Garland, K. Fontecchio, A. Augustini, G. Nye, J. Chiumento, R. Winters, M. Sweeney.





#### A CAPELLA CHOIR

Front row: D. Blumenthal, J. Mosman, M. Donley, N. Hunt, K. Kugell, J. Kracher, P. Kilroy, E. Parsons, M. Mitchell, B. Montgomery, B. Ligon, M. Pierce, D. Greenberg. Second row: A. Martin, M. Webb, N. Sullivan, M. Anderson, M. Thompson, I. Hillis,

C. Kerr, P. Schavone, M. Burke, K. Moore, A. Blanchard, L. Sellar, D. Young. Third row: R. Zicko, S. Haskell, R. Carroll, B. Connell, R. McKechnie, H. Hennigar, W. DeMelle, J. DeFoire, A. Parker, F. Rogers, J. Chiumento.



#### SAFETY PATROL

Front row: D. Blumenthal, M. Keany, J. Mosman, S. Owens, M. Pierce, D. Gordon, P. Burns, J. Andrews, D. Young, M. Donley, C. Owens, J. Drowne, A. Ortenzi, S. Skeans. Second row: B. Hunter, A. Phinney, S. LeRoux, B. Ligon, S. Martin, M. Mitchell, L. Mansell, J. Malone, J. Wignot, P. Hubbard, D. Thompson, J. Kin-

near, S. Jansen, N. Sullivan, M. Bardellia, K. Hand, P. Luttrell, M. Nichols, J. Holland, B. Ward. Back row: H. Wright, H. Mingace, P. Garland, G. Williams, D. McGee, A. Arbuckle, R. Whittemore, T. Anderson, R. Brown, L. Bartley, J. Bradford, F. Mastro, J. Padover, R. Whitehouse, J. Chiumento, J. Dowst.









# SENIORS







#### RICHARD ANDERSON

"Richy" . . . nothing is ever done at N. H. S. without Richy . . . greatest class president . . . always "hep" to class and world affairs . . . favorite hobby is suppressing "those decadent freshmen" . . . best of luck in the future.

Safety Patrol 1; Glee Club 1, 2; Student Council 1, 2, 4; Executive Board 1, 2, 3, 4; Class President 1, 4; Boys' State Representative 3; Good Government Day Representative 4; A Capella Choir 4; N Club 4. Basketball 1, 2, 4



#### SANDRA CHAMBERLAIN

The Class of '59 will always be proud of Sandy, very deservedly chosen as D. A. R. Good Citizen. Sandy has been very active in school activities and she is a friend to all. Her sincerity, willingness to help and her terrific personality can bring nothing but the very best of everything to her.

Ambition: To be a nurse.

Girls' Athletics (Softball) 1; Safety Patrol 3, Safety Patrol Commissioner 4; Glee Club 3; Student Council 3, Student Council Vice President 4; Co-chairman Prom Decoration Committee 3; Chairman Refreshment Committee Sophomore Spring Dance 2; Vice President Senior Class 4; Executive Board 3; A Capella Choir 4; Science Fair 2, 4; Refreshment Committee Football Dance 4.



#### JUDITH KINNEAR

"Nothing is impossible to a willing heart." Judy is one of the hardest working girls in our class. She is friendly, sincere, full of fun, and has done an excellent job as treasurer of the class. Girls' Athletics (Basketball) 2, 3; Safety Patrol 3, Commissioner 4; Sassamon Board Assistant Manager 3, Manager 4; Class Officer 2, 3, 4; Executive Board 2, 3, 4; Campus Club 2; Business Service Club 3; Ticket Committee Sophomore Dance 2; Prom Decorating Committee 3; Senior Play Ticket Committee 4; Christmas Cotillion Ticket Committee 4; Sassamon Subscription Committee 4; Sassamon Yearbook Subscription Committee 4; Government Representative 3, 4; Drill Team 2.



#### KAREN ALGER MOORE

Sweet . . . pretty . . . secretary par excellence . . . witty good student . . . willing worker . . . kind friend.

Glee Club 3; Sassamon Board 1, 3, 4; Student Council 2, 3, 4; Class President 3; Class Secretary 3, 4; Student Council Secretary 4; A Capella Chorus 4; News Editor of Sassamon 4; Decoration Committees for Dances 2, 3, 4; Library Aide 2, 3; Ticket Committee for Cotillion 4; Saugus Conference 2; Andover Conference 3; Executive Board 3, 4; Alternate for Girls' State Representative 3.





#### CHRISTY ADAMS

One of the most popular Seniors . . . Loves football . . . Prefers Framingham . . . Hails from Felchville . . . A smile for everyone . . . A great sense of humor . . . Plans to attend Dean Junior College.

Baseball 1, 2, 3, 4; Football 1, 2, 3, 4; Indoor Track 3, 4; Hockey 1, 2; Gym Club; Prom Decoration Committee 3; Prom Entertainment Committee 3; Entertainment Committee for Football Dance 4; Committee for "N" Club Outing; Decoration Committee for Football Dance; "N" Club; Executive Board.

#### BARRY ANDERSON

Hasta mañana! . . . Works hard . . . Worries constantly . . . oh, that Chemistry! . . . I knew it this morning . . . where *has* it gone?

Orchestra 2; Meteorology Club 2, 3, 4; Art Club 2; Radiology Club 4; Science Fair 2.



#### MARILYN ANDERSON

Happy-go-lucky . . . pretty smile . . . good student . . . ambitious . . . jolly disposition . . . likes to sing . . . makes friends easily . . . loyal N. H. S. rooter . . . Oh, those early morning pincurls!! . . . Good luck.

Sassamon Yearbook Subscription Committee 4; A Capella 4; Sassamon Newspaper Ads and Subscriptions 2; Glee Club 2.

#### TIMOTHY ANDERSON

Well-known captain of the N. H. S. Cross-country track team . . . good worker . . . International fan . . . Lot of fun . . . ambition to be a success.

Track 2, 3, 4; Safety Patrol 2, 3, 4; Student Guidance Committee 3; "N" Club 4; Science Fair 2, 3, 4; Captain Cross-country 4; Alternate Boys' State 3; Usher for Graduation 3.



#### JAMES ANDREWS

Jimmy . . . number one S. P. er . . . really great with a trumpet . . . valuable member of the band . . . certain Junior girl . . . curly hair.

Track 1; Band 1, 2, 3, 4; Safety Patrol 2, 3, 4; Orchestra 1, 2, 3; Dance Band 1, 2; Science Fair 3, 4.

#### PATRICIA ARENA

Quiet and shy, describes our Pat . . . Always willing to help a friend . . . And to you we lend . . . Success, and all with that.

Basketball 1; Girls' Athletics 4; Glee Club 3; Arts and Crafts; Senior Chorus 4; Junior Prom Decoration Committee 3; Pep Club; Yearbook Typing Committee 4.







#### RUSSELL BARBER

Russ . . . quiet and shy in school, but . . . once outside!! one of "The boys" often seen with a girl named Dottie.

Football 1, 2; Cafeteria Marshal.

#### KENNETH BARNES

"Kenny" . . . shy and quiet . . . loves sports, cars, and girls . . . bowling at the Fairway . . . Natick's loyalist male fan . . . nice person to know . . . good luck in the future.

Football 2, 3; Track 3, 4; Hockey 2; Thanksgiving Usher 4.



#### MADELINE BARNICLE

Always has a few jokes to tell . . . unexpected sense of humor. Oh, those busy Typing II classes!! Interest in Somerville.

Basketball 2; Band 1, 2; Dance Band 2; Senior Play Ticket Committee 4.

#### LYNN BARTLEY

Shy guy . . . rarely without a smile . . . very loyal supporter of all N.H.S. sports . . . makes his appearance at parties . . . a sincere friend.

Football 1, 2, 3, 4; Track 2, 3, 4; Band 1; Safety Patroll 4; "N" Club 3, 4; Gym Club 3; Usher Junior Prom 3.



#### GEOFFREY BELISLE

Another South Naticker . . . nice smile . . . good student . . . would-be Chemical Engineer . . . Good Luck.

Honor Society 3, 4; Gym Club 1, 2; Executive Board 1, 2; Campaign Manager 1; Intramural Basketball 1, 2; Framingham Game Usher 4; Graduation Usher 3.

#### PETER BELL

Better known as "Pucker" . . . Wherever there is any fun to be had, he is usually in the midst of it . . . he has a special interest in hockey . . . he seems quiet, but his friends tell a different story . . . Good luck, Pete.

Hockey 1, 2, 3; Prom Committee 3.





CAROL BELLEFONTAINE

Quiet . . . friendly . . . nice to know . . . Best wishes.



CAROL BELLOFATTO

This girl is one of our future nurses, and her ambition is to graduate from St. Vincents' Hospital in Worcester. "Bell" likes spike heels, but in the near future will learn a hospital isn't the place to wear them. She'll probably never forget Advanced Biology and the so-often used quotation "what happened to your head?"

Glee Club 1, 2; Senior Play Ticket Committee 4; Nurses Club-Pres. 4; Member Science Fair 1, 3, 4.



DONALD BERGONZONI

Quiet . . . shy . . . hails from Felchville . . . hot rod enthusiast.



JANICE BITZER

Jan . . . beautiful dark hair, but oh! those nightly pinups!! sweet smile . . . friendly personality . . . shy, some think . . . best of luck and happiness in the future, whatever it may be that you choose.

Future Teachers Club 1, 2, 3, 4; Art Club 4; Art Committee for Junior Prom 3; Christmas Cotillion 4; Senior Play Ticket Committee 4; School Hot Rod Club 1.



MAUREEN BLISS

Maureen is better known as "Moe" or "Bunny" . . . she has always been a strictly commercial student . . . fabulous majorette . . . a good model . . . lovely long hair . . . vibrant personality . . . Enthusiastic.

Ambition: To attend LaSalle Junior College . . . good luck to you, Bunny!  
Girls' Athletics 3, 4; Hockey 3, 4; Tennis 4; Dramatic Club 1, 2, 3, 4; Good Grooming Club 1, 2, 3, 4.

JOHN BOYINGTON

Man of many cars . . . an artist too, dislikes street lights.

Ambition: To go to Massachusetts Art School.







#### JAMES BRADFORD

Executive type . . . well dressed . . . fond of tennis . . . enjoys writing for the Sassamon . . . very good dancer . . . his versatility will undoubtedly make him a success.

Football 1, 2, 3, 4; Tennis 1, 2, 3, 4; Safety Patrol 3, 4; Sassamon Board 1, 2, 3, 4; Prom Usher 4; Senior Play Ticket Committee 4; Sassamon Subscription Committee 3; Football Dance Decoration Committee 4; Sports Editor — Sassamon 4; Christmas Cotillion Decoration Committee 4; Captain Tennis Squad 2, 3, 4.

#### JUNE BRED A

Tennis anyone? Field hockey, basketball, tennis — you name it, June plays it. She is one of Natick High's outstanding girl athletes.

Basketball Captain 1, Co-Captain 2, 3, 4; G.A.A. 1, 2, 3, 4; Field Hockey 1, 2, 3, 4; Tennis 2, 3, 4; Glee Club 1; Science Fair Committee 4.

#### LINDA BREMNER

Fiery redhead . . . dislikes most things, (pizza and hot dogs) . . . unexcitable . . . always hungry.

Honor Society 4; Business Service Club 4; Senior Play Decorations Committee 4; Intramural Basketball 2.

#### DAVID BROWN

"Dave" . . . "Albert" in the Senior Play . . . one of those famous Brown brothers . . . very studious . . . always lots of fun . . . very reliable . . . spends his time in Newton . . . Good luck, Dave!

Tennis 1, 2, 3, 4; Safety Patrol 2, 3, 4; Honor Society 3, 4; Sassamon Board 4; Senior Play 4; Student Council 1; Science Fair 2, 3; Dramatic Club, President 1, 2; Executive Board 1.

#### GLORIA BROWN

Special knack for business studies . . . known for showing and speaking her opinions . . . has special interest in Gulf Stations . . . Charlie.

Sassamon Board 1; Business Service Club 4; Prom Decoration Committee 3; Christmas Cotillion Decoration Committee 4; Arts and Crafts Club 2; Campus Club 2.

#### RICHARD BROWN

"Dick" . . . lots of fun in a crowd . . . that cute sailor in the Senior Play . . . interests in Newton . . . always gets his homework done? . . . Best of Luck.

Track 3, 4; Senior Play 4.





VIRGINA BROWN

"Silence is Golden" . . . "Ginny" . . . quiet and shy until you get to know her . . . loyal supporter of the N. H. S. football team . . . Good luck in the future.

Campus Club 1.

ANN BRYAN

Ann may be seen often at the library during school or at J. M. Fields at nights. She plans to enter the field of nursing. Best wishes from the Class of 1959.

Basketball 4; Sewing Club 1, 2; Future Nurse Club 3, 4; Library Aide 2, 3, 4; Sassamon Subscriber 2.

DAVID BUCKINGHAM

"Bucky" . . . plays trombone in Dance Band . . . loves jazz . . . very collegiate . . . Best wishes from the Class of 1959.

Tennis 3, 4; Band 1, 2, 3, 4; Orchestra 1, 2, 3; Science Fair Committee 2, 3; Dance Band 2, 3, 4.

JUDITH BUCKLER

A loyal supporter of N. H. S. activities . . . can be seen driving a grey and white convertible . . . is thinking of going into retailing . . . an incomparable giggler . . . always a happy "HI" . . . Where you find Judy, you will find Anna.

National Honor Society 4; Secretary Campus Club 2; Pep Club 4; Modern Dance Club 4; Ticket Committee for Senior Play 4; Junior Prom Decorating Committee 3; Election Official 2, 3.

MARCIA BURKE

"Trigger" . . . frequents M.I.T. . . star player for the Drips Flips over Red Jeeps . . . Senior Six . . . real cool trumpet player . . . Sincere friend . . . wonderful student . . . Love those lifesavers . . . Sure to go far.

Basketball 2, 3; Girls' Athletics 3, 4; Band 1, 2, 3, 4; Glee Club 1, 2; Honor Society 4; Orchestra 2, 3; Graduation Usherette 3; Science Fair Committee 2, 4; District Music Festival 1, 4; Senior Six 4; Dance Band 2; Pep Club 1, 2, 4; Guidance Committee 4; A Capella 4; Sassamon Literary Staff 4; Decoration Committee for Junior Prom 3; Decoration Committee for Christmas Cotillion 4; Operetta 4; Senior Play Ticket Committee 4.

JOYCE MARGARET BURT

"Peggy" . . . Garlic Pizza anyone? . . . Oh, those committee meetings . . . Hi "cuz" . . . vivacious fashion plate . . . bread basket collector . . . liked by everyone . . . sure to be a success in everything she does.

Honor Society 4; Two Committees for the Senior Play 4; Library Aide 2, 3, 4; Business Service Club 3, 4; Executive Board 4; Chairman for Decorations for Christmas Cotillion 4; Science Fair 2.







#### SANDRA BUSWELL

"Buzz" . . . friendly . . . cute redhead . . . always on the go . . . loyal member of the Safety Patrol . . . ready to pitch in . . . nice clothes . . . ambitious rooter for N. H. S. activities . . . freckles? — who wants 'em?? . . . very good student . . . efficient . . . sure to succeed . . . will make someone a very good secretary . . . good luck.

Safety Patrol 3, 4; Glee Club 1, 2; Sassamon Board 2, 3, 4; Executive Board 1, 2, 3, 4; Senior Prom Committee; Publicity Committee for Senior Play 4; Club Activities 1, 2, 3, 4; Decorating Committee for Cotillion 3, 4; Yearbook Subscription Committee 4; Driver Training 3; Honor Society 4.



#### ALFRED BYRNES

"Al" . . . quiet, in school . . . carefree . . . OH! that curly hair! . . . not too interested in studying . . . What, me worry?? . . . good friend . . . good luck.

Radio Club 1; Prom Printing Committee 3.



#### PAUL CALLAHAN

What a tease! . . . neat dresser . . . always a witty remark . . . enjoys school??? . . . willing to lend a helping hand . . . friendly to all . . . easy going manner . . . loves a good time . . . sure to be a success.

Baseball 1, 2, 3, 4; Basketball 1; Track 2, 3, 4; Safety Patrol 2, 3; Captain of Baseball 4; "N" Club 4; Gym Club 2, 3, 4.



#### JOHN CALZINI

A good friend to know . . . President of the C.Y.O. . . . You can't miss the twinkle in his eyes . . . Popular with the opposite sex.

Baseball 1, 2, 3, 4; Hockey 3, 4; Student Council 3; Intramural Basketball 2, 3; Gym Club 1, 2, 3, 4; Junior Prom Decoration Committee 3; Chairman Ticket Committee, Refreshment Committee for Freshman Dance 3.

#### DIANE CAMPISI

Like a fountain . . . bubbles over with life . . . biggest little girl we know . . . very cute dancer.

Field Hockey 1, 2, 3; Basketball 1, 2, 3; Business Sassamon Board 3, 4; Subscription Manager for Sassamon 4; Campus Club 2; Dramatics Club 2; Prom Decorations 3; Cheerleader 4; Ticket Committee for Senior Play 4; G. A. A. 1, 2; Cheerleading Competition 4; Drivers Training 4; Pep Club 4.

#### VITO CAPIZZO

Full of fun . . . big tease . . . everyone's friend . . . always dependable . . . wonderful disposition . . . Captain of '59 hockey team . . . has special interest in the class of '58 . . . homework? . . . Who needs it?? . . . enthusiastic worker . . . Lots of luck and success in the future.

Football 1, 2, 3, 4; Hockey 1, 2, 3, 4; "N" Club 2, 3, 4, President of "N" Club 4; Chief of Cafeteria Marshalls 1, 2, 3, 4; Good Government Day 4; Executive Board 3; Captain of Hockey Team 4; Prom Committee Decorations 3; Band; Science Fair 2; Freshman Hockey Captain 1.





RICHARD CASALY

"Easy come; easy go" . . . Dick, "Co-op" . . . good for a laugh . . . not too interested in studying . . . considerate . . . good friend . . . Good Luck.

Current Events Club 1; Radio Club 2



BEVERLY CLARK

"Bev" . . . vivacious . . . sparkling eyes . . . always a big smile . . . conscientious worker . . . good student . . . friendly personality . . . interests in the class of '58 . . . hidden sense of humor . . . attractive dresser . . . one of those "mad" women drivers! . . . Best of luck, Bev.

Basketball 1, 2; Glee Club 1, 2, 4; Usherette for Junior Prom 3; Chairman of Senior Play Ticket Committee 4; Executive Board 4.



CAROL L. COAN

Five feet, two inches tall . . . A blue-eyes blond . . . A great friend to have . . . Old Cape Cod . . . Oh, those Summer week-ends . . . Dedham . . . will be an asset to any bussiness office.

Girls' Athletics 1, 2; Glee Club 2; Sassamon Board 4; Campus Club 2; Refreshments Sophomore Dance; G.A.A. 1, 3; Junior Prom Decorations; Usherette Senior Play; Senior Play Ticket Committee; Dramatics 3; Yearbook Typing Committee; Honor Society 4.



LOIS NATALIE COHEN

Quiet, but nice . . . short dark hair . . . how does she stay so thin . . . friendly . . . easy-going . . . loyal.

Dramatics 1.



JAMES T. CONDLIN

Bud . . . not too serious about school . . . Enjoyed by everyone in his classes . . . A teacher's pest . . . not forgotten on past ski trips!

Baseball 2, 3, 4; Gym Club 3, 4; Radio Club 2

RICHARD COX

"Dick" . . . never misses out on anything that happens in Natick, or the other towns around . . . always full of mischief . . . French III . . . neat dresser . . . just a great guy . . . Have fun, Dick.

Sassamon Board 4; Intramural Basketball; Mythology Club 1; Usher Prom; Thanksgiving Day Game.







#### STEVEN CRAMPTON

"Steve" . . . seen but not too often heard . . . good student . . . easy going . . . sly sense of humor . . . likes to have a good time . . . has interest in underclass girl . . . Good luck in the future.  
Band 1; Glee Club 1, 2; Arlington Eagle, Photographer 1, 2; Science Fair 4; Class Play 2.



#### LEE CURTIS

Friendly . . . nice smile . . . N. H. S. rooter . . . loves clothes.

#### RONALD CURTIS

Red hair and a Colgate smile . . . "Ruth" . . . our favorite goalie . . . not especially interested in school . . . anything for a laugh.  
Baseball 2; Football 2; Hockey 1, 2, 3, 4; Executive Board 1.



#### WILLIAM CURTIS

Bill . . . seen but not often heard . . . sincere friend . . . cheerful . . . easy going . . . a conscientious student . . . best of luck.

#### MARY DALY

Sweet . . . pretty smile . . . sincere friend . . . nice skin . . . quiet . . . always willing to work . . . neat . . . capable student . . . we know that you will be a success in your future.  
Glee Club 2, 3; Business Service 3, 4; Prom Committee 3.



#### JUDITH DAVIS

The only way to have a friend is to be one . . . friendly . . . good dancer . . . anyone for a Chinese Auction? . . . anyone for the movies?  
Glee Club 1; Senior Play Rose Committee 4; Dramatic Club 3; Art Club 2; Library Aid 2, 3, 4; Business Service 4; Yearbook Layout Committee 4; Sassamon Business Staff 3; Counter in Elections 3.





### LESLIE DAVIS

"Les" . . . liked by all . . . likes a certain boy who recently graduated from N. H. S. . . . loves stock car races . . . has wonderful parties . . . "Hey, Les, can I borrow your boat?"

Rose Committee for Senior Play 4; Decoration Committee for Cotillion 4; Dramatics Club 2.

### DIANNA DeCOSTA

"Dee Dee" . . . vivacious and always cheerful . . . full of pep for N. H. S. . . . real hep . . . beautiful clothes with her dark, curly hair and beautiful tan . . . hair dressing school is her aim. She is bound to excel.

Glee Club 2; Library Aide 2; Science Fair 2; Decoration Committee Junior Prom 3; Art Committee Junior Prom 3; Usher Senior Play 4; Ticket Committee Senior Play 4.



### DIANE DIXON

"Dickie" . . . adorable smile . . . beautiful skin . . . pleasant to know . . . dislikes impolite boys . . . "I think I'll get a pixie haircut" . . . admires Framingham (?!!) boys . . . likes driving, dancing and dieting . . . enjoyed the sights (?) in Hawaii . . . well liked by all.

Sassamon Board 3, 4; Sassamon Subscriptions 3; Decoration Committee Cotillion 4; Refreshment Committee Sophomore Dance 2; G. A. A. 2, 3; Dramatic Club 1; Science Fair 2, 4; Exchange Editor Sassamon 4; Decoration Committee Prom 3; Refreshment Committee Prom 3; Modern Dance Club 4; Intramural Field Hockey 3.

### RICHARD DONOVAN

Dick . . . dig those crazy vest-sweaters! . . . homeroom clown . . . happy-go-lucky . . . jolly . . . friends galore! . . . loyal N. H. S. supporter . . . "Get away from the 'water facet'" . . . likes to have a good time . . . success in the future.

Freshman Executive Board 1.



### JOHN DOWST

"Mouse" . . . friendly to everyone . . . enjoys sports . . . quiet? — some think so . . . hard worker . . . dependable . . . carefree . . . loyal member of the Safety Patrol . . . the class of '59 wishes you the best of luck in the future.

Baseball 2, 3, 4; Football 3, 4; Safety Patrol 4; "N" Club 4; Arts and Crafts 1, 2; Science Fair 2, 3, 4; Honor Society 4.

### JOANNA DROWNE

"To know her is to love her — none more dear." "Jo" . . . neat . . . capable . . . terrific personality . . . sincere friend . . . conscientious student . . . Best of Luck, Jo!

Safety Patrol 4; Glee Club 1, 2, 3; Sassamon Board 1, 2, 3, 4; Student Council 1, 2; Executive Board 1, 2, 4; Junior Prom Decoration Committee 3; Cotillion Ticket Committee 4; Senior Play Ticket Committee 4; Senior Play Publicity Committee 4; Sadie Hawkins Dance Chairman 4; Sadie Hawkins Dance Co-Chairman Refreshments 1; Class Officer-Secretary 1, 2; Football Dance Decoration Committee 2.







#### DOUGLAS DUNN

"Doug" . . . interested in cars . . . easy going . . . friendly smile . . . not crazy about studying . . . girls? . . . best of luck.



#### BOYD EDMUNDSTON

Think he's quiet? . . . He always has a trick up his sleeve . . . his jokes get around fast . . . talks in French three-fourths of the time . . . faithful subscriber to "Mad" Magazine.

Track 2; Sassamon Board 4; Senior Play Reading Committee 3; Mythology Club 1; Executive Board 2; Honor Society 4.



#### WILLIAM EGAN

Bill . . . wonderful artist . . . willing to lend a hand . . . quiet, some say . . . red hair . . . car enthusiast . . . great disposition . . . has special interest in junior class . . . easy going . . . Good luck in the future.

#### JOSEPH FAHEY

Joe . . . came from Maine in sophomore year, and soon made many friends at Natick High . . . always a witty remark . . . "I dunno!" . . . the class of '59 wishes you the best of luck.

Baseball 1, 2; Basketball 1, 2, 3, 4; Sassamon Board 3, 4.



#### JAMES FALLON

Jim . . . "Snead" . . . one of the best tackles N. H. S. has ever seen . . . hails from South Natick . . . one of the "bigger" seniors . . . Good luck, Jim.

Football 1, 2, 3, 4; Track 3; "N" Club.

#### NATALIE FERNALD

"When you're tall, there's more of you to like" . . . Natalie can often be found in the library . . . She is a conscientious student with high ideals.

Glee Club 2, 3, 4; Senior Play Rose Committee 4; Decoration Committee for the Junior Prom 3; Decoration Committee for the Christmas Cotillion 4; Library Aide 2, 3, 4.





IRWIN FISCHER

"Muzzy" . . . "The secret of success is constancy to purpose". U. of Mass. . . History . . . Harriet.

Tennis 1; Senior Play 4; Science Fair Junior Year 3rd Prize; Driver Training 3.



ROBERT FRANCIOSIO

"Bob" . . . friendly . . . loves fun and classmates, good man to have around . . . always going somewhere . . . Best of luck in your future plans.

Football 1, 2, 3; Lunch Duty 1, 2, 3, 4; Executive Board 1; Prom Decoration Committee 3; Ticket Committee for Senior Play 4.



CHARLES FRITZ

"Good things sometimes come in small packages." . . . nice smile . . . friendly personality.

THERESA GATELY

Pretty dark hair . . . shy (especially with boys) . . . a good friend well liked by all who know her . . . loyal supporter of Natick High . . . cute smile . . . never a dull moment with Theresa.

Sewing Club 2; Committee for Sophomore Dance 2; Ticket Committee for Senior Play 4.



PAUL GELLY

Mr. Co-op . . . sense of humor . . . shy . . . nice dresser . . . Basketball 1.

JOSEPH GENESEO

"Irish" . . . Known for his blue Ford convertible with a fancy continental . . . Shy and quiet . . . loyal taxi driver.

Hockey 3, 4; Prom Committee; Usher at Thanksgiving Day Game.







#### JEAN GHILANI

Jean, our cute head-cheerleader, has worked diligently to develop one of the best cheering squads of Natick High. She is most often seen with a particular member of 1957-58's hockey team. She will always be remembered for her friendly smile and unceasing vivaciousness.

Girls' Athletics 3, 4; Executive Board 1, 2, 3; Cheerleader 3, Head-Cheerleader 4; Pres. of Pep Club 4; Pres. Campus Club 2; Ticket Committee Sophomore Dance 2; Chairmen Publicity Prom 3; Cheerleading Competition 3, 4; Campaign Manager 2, 3; Decoration Committee Senior Prom 3; Ticket Committee Senior Play 4; Glee Club 3.



#### PHILIP GILCHREST

Quiet . . . likes metalwork and building models . . . plans to enter a trade school . . . a good friend to those who know him . . . hot trumpet player.

Band 1, 2.



#### KEITH GOULD

Appearance is deceitful, for mischief dwells within. "Keith" provides a great deal of humor in our class . . . loves to play jokes, but all in fun . . . gets along well with the fairer sex . . . a sure success.

Sassamon Board 4; Usher for Thanksgiving Game 4; Science Fair 4; Cafeteria Marshall 4.

#### WILLIAM GOUR

"Bill" . . . likes work, (at the Stop and Shop) and '56 Fords . . . disliked Italian food, but got used to eating it . . . great friend . . . National Guard . . . hi-fi fan.



#### MARY GRADY

Full of pep . . . loyal supporter of all school functions.

Ticket Committee for Senior Play, Typing Committee for Yearbook 4.

#### ROBERT GRAHAM

"A merry heart goes all day". Bob, always jolly and in good humor, good friend, sure to go far.

Glee Club 1, 2, 4; Executive Board 2, 3; A Capella Choir 2; Guidance Committee 4; Projector Club 1.





RONALD GRAHAM

"Ronnie" . . . quiet . . . easy-going . . . ardent members of the "Dragons" . . . works at the Star Market . . . First love — cars! . . . The class of '59 wishes you the best of luck and success in the future, Ron.

DEBRA GREENBERG

"Debbie" . . . loves music and modern dance . . . hopes to become a social worker after attending U. of Mass. . . a sweet girl to know.

Glee Club 1; Sassamon Borad 3; A Cappella 4; Art Club 2; Junior Prom Decoration Committee 3; Modern Dance Club 4.



CAROL HACKETT

Shy and quiet . . . always neat . . . popular with the opposite sex . . . Oh, that blond hair! . . . Air Force.

Chairman of Ticket Committee for Senior Play 4; Campus Club 1; Executive Board 4; Usherette for Senior Prom 3; Refreshment Committee for Sadie Hawkins Dance 2; Decoration Committee for Junior Prom 3; Publicity & Decoration Committees for Sophomore Dance 2; Refreshment Committee for Christmas Cotillion 4; Decoration Committee for Cotillion 4; Yearbook Typing Committee 4.

RICHARD HALBERG

Hails from West Natick . . . has a cute blue car . . . good student . . . loves to ski . . . sure to succeed . . . Lots of Luck.

JEROME HALL

Jerry has been one of the most outstanding athletes of our class . . . He is a wonderful friend to have . . . always a "hi", never a frown and never a harsh word, Right Georgene? . . . The Class of '59 is very glad to have Jerry as a member.

Football 1, 2, 3, 4; Track 1, 2, 3, 4; Hockey 1, 2, 3, 4; Student Council 3; "N" Club 2, 3, 4; Cafeteria Marshal 2, 3, 4; Executive Board 3, 4; Cotillion Decoration Committee 4; Prom Committee 3.

JANE HAMMOND

A great personality . . . that "neat as a pin" look . . . Oh, that blushing . . . Loves New Hampshire . . . Pete.

Basketball 2, 3, 4; Girls' Athletics 2, 3, 4; Glee Club 1, 3; Pep Club 3, 4; Senior Play Reading Committee 4; Junior Prom Decoration Committee 3; Class Official in Elections 1, 2, 3; Senior Play Ticket Committee 4; Decoration Committee for Christmas Cotillion 4.







#### PATRICIA HARCOURT

"Pat" . . . true friend and good student . . . "Let's do something crazy" . . . oh, those mad weekends . . . "Where's Cindy?" . . . Cape Cod . . . "Where's the mailman?" . . . Teacher's College . . . expressive eyes . . . kneesocks and tights . . . loads of fun . . . Windsor Rose . . . future will be nothing but a success.

Honor Society 3, 4; Senior Play 4; Make Up Committee for Senior Play 4; Publicity Committee for Senior Play 4; Dramatic Club 2, 3, 4; Modern Dance Club 2; Christmas Drawing Contest 1, 2, 3, 4.

#### RONALD HARLOW

"Ronny" . . . cars, cars, cars — and a distinct tendency toward the "weaker" sex (the tendency doesn't extend to Physics Class) . . . He'll do anything for you (that doesn't entail work of any kind) . . . friendly to everyone . . . a great guy!

#### ANN HASSARD

A cute red head, minus the hot-temper! . . . shy . . . responsible and willing worker . . . sincere friend . . . fun to be with . . . best of luck in your future plans, Ann.

Rose Committee for Senior Play 4.

#### JAMES WILLIAM HAWKES

Advanced Biology — oh, those bones and muscles! . . . Big Buick . . . forget the anti-freeze, anyone? . . . another Senior with Framingham interests, Bev . . . oh, that crew cut . . . the life of any party . . . "Bill" . . . "I haven't got any gas."

Track 2; Science Fair 4.

#### CAROL HAWKINS

Shiny hair and sparkling eyes, describes this vivacious cheerleader . . . Carol is often seen with a certain football player for the class of '58.

Executive Board 3, Cheerleader 4; Cheerleading Competition 4; Pep Club 3; Junior Prom Decoration and Publicity Committees 3; Usher Exchange Talent Show 2; Senior Play Ticket Committee 4; Decorations for Sophomore Dance 2; Counter for Class Election 2; Committee for the Cotillion 4; Typing Committee for Yearbook 4.

#### DORIS HENRY

Doris came to Natick from Maine. She has taken a secretarial course during here years here and hopes to work in Washington. Her long hair is the envy of many in N. H. S. A few of her special likes are: talking, chewing gum, and Brookline.

Science Fair 1, 2; Dramatics 2; Ticket Committee for Senior Play 4.







#### DIANE HESEK

"Diane" . . . easy to know, fun to be with . . . penpal overseas . . . those trips to New York . . . may be found working at J. M. Fields . . . "I got my license!" . . . dislikes walking to school . . . Modern Problems exams . . . never has any books . . . "I'll try to be ready early" . . . Good luck, Diane.

Glee Club 1; Softball 1; Sassamon Yearbook Committee 4; Class Election Counter 3; Language Department Typist 4.

#### FRANK HESS

Friendly smile . . . good friend of Joe Gustainus . . . air conditioned car . . . sure to be a great success . . . always willing to help . . . raccoon hall . . . bombs away . . . tape for sale.

Track 4; Hockey 1; Tennis 1, 2, 3, 4; Christmas Cotillion Decoration Committee 4; Executive Board 2.



#### JUDY HICKS

"For she's a jolly good fellow" . . . always smiling . . . oh, so quiet . . . but what a whiz in homemaking . . . very fashionable . . . owns very pretty orange tights . . . crazy hairdo-no problem on wet days.

Girls' Athletics 1, 2, 3; Glee Club 3; Senior Play Ticket Committee 4; Junior Prom Decorating Committee 3.

#### JACQUELINE HIGGINS

Jackie . . . often seen at the Co-op. A member of a busy Typing II class. With her sense of humor and ability to get along with people, Jackie, will have a successful future.

Glee Club 1; Campus Club 2; Talent Show Usher 2; Executive Board 1; Class Election Counter 2; Prom Decoration Committee 3.



#### IRENE HILLIS

"Renie" . . . friendly and popular . . . hillbilly music . . . partial to Fords, the color blue, and long hair . . . Future includes nursing plans . . . "Going down town?" . . . Dear Ruth . . . good student . . . Good Luck, Irene.

Glee Club 1, 2; Honor Society 3, 4; Sassamon Board 4; Senior Play 4; A Capella 3, 4; Executive Board 3; Decoration Committee Junior Senior Reception 3; Christmas Cotillion Decoration Committee 3; Honor Society Secretary 4; Science Fair Chairman 4; Science Fair 2, 3, 4; Guidance Committee 4; Science Fair Registration Chairman 3; Science Awards Assembly 3; Music Festival 1, 2, 3; Delegate to Honor Society Conference 4.

#### VIRGINIA HINES

"Ginny" . . . oh those jokes . . . One of the "Fleet" 57 different kinds . . . A certain way of getting along with everyone.

Basketball 1; Girls' Athletics 4; Glee Club 1, 2; Junior Prom Decoration Committee 3; A Capella 3; Pep Club 4; Dramatics 2; Senior Play Subscription Committee 4; Senior Chorus 4.





#### JEAN HOLLAND

Nice to know . . . big appetite . . . friendly smile . . . hard worker . . . "Jack" . . . an aspiring nurse . . . will be a success in this chosen field.

Band 2, 3, 4; Safety Patrol 3, 4; Glee Club 1; Orchestra 1; Future Nurses Club 3, 4; Usher for Senior Play 4; Science Fair 2, 3, 4; Nurses Aid 3, 4.

#### PETER HORNING

"Pete" . . . mechanically minded . . . hot rods . . . has buddies in Framingham . . . dislike: work . . . well liked . . . best of luck!

Ambition: To join the Air Force.



#### PATRICIA HUBBARD

"Pat" . . . tall, slim doll . . . real live model . . . West Point basketball expert. Loves sports . . . loyal Natick fan . . . Heading for a very successful future . . . Good Luck, Pat.

Basketball 1, 2, 3, 4; Girls' Athletics 1, 2, 3, 4; Safety Patrol 3, 4; Sassamon Board 4; Decorations for Prom; Usher at Senior Prom; Dramatics 2, 3; Campus Club 1; Drill Team 2; Operetta 4.



#### DAVID HUGHES

"Dave" . . . N. H. S. man all the way . . . lover and participator of sports . . . determined . . . hard worker . . . Lots of ambition plus the ability and the desire to reach high goals.

"N" Club.

#### NANCY HUNT

"Your words bring friendship with them when you speak, Nancy, a willing and conscientious worker, good student, perfect "Sassamon" editor, thoughtful and courteous to everyone." . . . Hey Kids!

Tennis 2, 4; Band 1, 2, 3; Glee Club 3; Honor Society 3, 4; Orchestra 1, 2, 3; Sassamon Board 2, 3, 4; Student Council 4; A Capella Choir 4; Science Fair Committee 1, 2, 3; Usher for Graduation 3; Guidance Committee 3.



#### BEVERLY HUNTER

Like to laugh? See Bunky . . . always on the go . . . Oh, those crazy slumber parties! She yells the loudest at the games . . . favorite expression, "What a riot".

Basketball 1, 3, 4; Girls' Athletics 1, 2, 3, 4; Field Hockey 3, 4; Tennis 2, 3, 4; Safety Patrol 3, 4; Glee Club 3, 4; Treasurer of G. A. A. 4; Usher for Senior Play 4; Campus Club 1; Dramatics 2, 3, 4; Decoration Committee for Prom 3; Refreshment Committee for Prom 3.





FRANK INDELICATO

Nice guy . . . likes sincere music . . . true pizza lover . . . quiet . . . likes to loaf in S-209.



MARY JOHNSON

"A merry heart maketh a cheerful countenance." Mary . . . always willing to lend a helping hand . . . loyal supporter of N. H. S. activities . . . always ready for a laugh.

Girls' Basketball 1, 2, 3, 4; Girls' Athletics 1, 2, 3, 4; Hockey 1, 2, 3, 4; Tennis 1, 2, 3, 4; Glee Club 1, 2, 3, 4; Sassamon Board 1; Student Council 1; Senior Play Ticket Committee 4; Christmas Cotillion Decoration Committee 4; Junior Prom Decoration and Refreshment Committee 3.



SUSAN JOHNSON

"Little Sue" . . . curly hair . . . always smiling . . . true-blue Natick fan . . . West Point all the way . . . friendly . . . best wishes for your future plans.

Basketball 2, 4; Girls' Athletics Association 1, 2, 3, 4; Sassamon Board 4; Campus Club 1; Junior Prom Decoration Committee 3; Drill Team 3; Science Fair 1; Usherette at Senior Play 4; Entertainment Committee G. A. A. Banquet 3; Dramatics Club 2, 3; Christmas Cotillion Decoration Committee 4; Yearbook Typing Committee 4; Operetta Dancing Cast 4.



CHARLES JONES

Baseball fun . . . basketball manager . . . sports announcer . . . always busy . . . always a willing worker.

Baseball 1, 2, 3, 4; Basketball Manager 1, 4; Science Club 2; "N" Club Game Announcer 4.



GLORIA JONES

"Glow" . . . Framingham's "loss" to Natick High . . . beautiful hair . . . warm smile . . . swell person . . . good luck "Glow" wherever you go.

Future Nurses Club 4.

HALLET JONES

"Scoop" . . . track . . . baseball . . . sports . . . athletic man . . . collegiate look . . . quiet, but friendly . . . good luck in the future Scoop . . . Oh that appetite!

Baseball 1, 2, 3, 4; Track 2, 3, 4; Captain of Track Team 4; "N" Club Officer 4; Executive Board 2.





#### KEVIN KEANE

"Kev" . . . a typical Senior. Enjoys many outside activities. Rock Hudson's brother! A great person to know and have for a friend.

Baseball 1; Football 1, 2, 3; Hockey 1; Executive Board 1, 2; Weight Lifting 4; Ticket Committee for Senior Play 4; SBBC 4.

#### PAUL KELLY

This boy is one of our early birds; he usually arrives just as the school opens. Paul is a small-town boy at heart, preferring to live in Ashland, not New York. He's got a smile for everyone, and likes rock and roll music, but doesn't like studying nearly as well.

Gym Club 3, 4.

#### JOHN KENNEY

Referred to as "Kenzo." One of "The Boys." The artist of the class. Many a laugh when John is around. Known for his blushing. Frequent trips to Wellesley.

Football 1, 2; Sassamon Board 1.

#### RAYMOND KENT

"Ray" . . . shortest but biggest flirt in all of N. H. S. . . . friendly and likeable . . . terrific sense of humor . . . always ready with a laugh . . . his friendliness will help him to go far.

Cafeteria Marshal 4.

#### KRISTINE KERR

"Kris" . . . convertibles . . . Natick . . . sports . . . boats . . . arts and crafts . . . clothes by the closets full . . . everyone's friend . . . Senior Six . . . A Capella . . . tall . . . best of luck in the future.

Basketball 3, 4; Girls' Athletics 2, 3, 4; Glee Club 1, 2, 3; Decoration Committee for the Prom 3; Refreshment Committee for the Prom 3; Publicity Committee for the Senior Play 4; Ticket Committee for the Senior Play 4; Yearbook Subscription Committee 4; Decoration Committee for Christmas Cotillion 4; A Capella Chorus 4.

#### MARGARET KILROY

"Peggie" . . . another of our dynamic cheerleaders . . . gorgeous eyes . . . excellent student . . . a friendly smile and greeting for everyone . . . one of the most popular girls at N. H. S.

Glee Club 1, 2; Student Council 2, 4; Cheerleader 3, 4; Executive Board 1, 2, 3, 4; A Capella 3, 4; President of Campus Club 2; Co-Chairman Publicity Committee of Junior Prom 3; Clinic Aid 4; Representative to Massachusetts Girls' State 3; Good Government Day Representative 4; Decoration Committee for Football Dance 2; Co-Chairman of Christmas Cotillion 4; Refreshment Committee for Football Dance 4; Cheerleading Competition 3.







#### PATRICIA ANN KIRBY

Star basketball player . . . a warm, friendly manner . . . a beautiful disposition . . . DENIS.  
Basketball 1, 3, 4; Girls' Athletics 3, 4; Dramatic Club 3; Business Service Club 4; Softball Team  
3; Intramural Tennis 3; Yearbook Typing Committee 4.

#### GEORGENE KNOTT

Beauty and Charm, quite sublime, Seen with Jerry all the time; An avid football and Hockey  
fan, Oh, that fullback, what a man! For Georgene, sure success; We wish her loads of happiness!

Glee Club 2, 3; Student Council 1, 3, 4; Student Council Talent Show 1; Sophomore Carnival  
Decoration Committee 2; Counter for Class Election Votes 3; Executive Board 3, 4; Senior Class  
Play Ticket Committee 4; Head of Decoration Committee for Cotillion 4; Football Dance Refresh-  
ment Committee 4; Princes for Junior Senior Prom.



#### KAREN KUGELL

Intellectual . . . a New Yorker at heart . . . talented actress . . . beautiful black tresses . . .  
loves fudge and pink roses.

Girls' Athletics 1, 2; Editor Sassamon Board 3; Senior Play Reading Committee 3; A Capella 4;  
Campaign Manager 1, 2; Executive Board 2; Class Officer 2; Science Fair 1, 2; Campus Club  
Treasurer 2; Mythology Club 1; Modern Dance 4; Pep Club 3; Chairman Publicity for Sophomore  
Spring Carnival 2; Secretary of Science Fair Committee 2; Art and Decoration Committee for  
Junior Prom 3; Usherette Junior Prom 3; Guidance Aid 3; Student Guidance Committee 4;  
Christmas Assembly 1; Talent Show 2; Honor Society 4.

#### SHELDON LANGMEAD

Nicknamed "Charlie" . . . favorite class English . . . likes pizza and beverage, automobiles,  
girls . . . good natured . . . favorite color black . . . ambition to enter the Air Force in September  
. . . Good Luck, Sheldon.



#### DENNIS LAWLESS

An easy going manner, always calm, cool, and collective. Wonderful mechanic. Frequently  
seen in the vicinity of East Natick. GO GULF.

#### BRAD LEAVITT

"Rock" . . . Conversation enriches the understanding, but solitude is the school of genius.  
SHY! Anyone for football?

Baseball 2, 3; Football 3, 4; Track 3, 4; Tennis 1; Intramural Basketball 2; Art Club 2.





#### ELIZABETH LEE

"Betty" . . . A friend to all . . . beautiful blue eyes and dark hair . . . collects Pat Boone records, friends and clothes . . . known for her cheerful smile . . . a brilliant student . . . loyal supporter of Natick High . . . loves skating, skiing and swimming . . . will be a success in her chosen field of nursing.

Glee Club 2, 3; Honor Society 3, 4; Senior Play Usher 4; Talent Show Usher 2; Class Day Usher 3; Graduation Usher 4; Guidance Committee 4; Modern Dance Club 4; Prom Decorating Committee 3; Guidance Receptionist 4; Decorating Committee for the Football Dance 3; Honorable Mention Science Fair 3.

#### LINDA LEE

One of the great "Dribbling Drips" . . . mad driver . . . great fun to have around . . . can be very quiet . . . comes up with crazy creations in arts and crafts . . . Have fun, Linda.

Basketball Intramural 3, 4; Girls' Athletics 2, 3, 4; Field Hockey 2, 3, 4; Glee Club 1; Prom Decoration and Refreshment Committees 3; Dramatics Club 3; Make Up Committee for the Senior Play; Science Fair 3, 4; Arts and Crafts 3, 4; Ticket Committee Senior Play; Cotillion Decoration Committee; Yearbook Literary Committee.



#### DAVID LEHAN

Clever, sly "Sabu" . . . our weatherman . . . always scheming . . . chuckle, chuckle, chuckle . . . habit of annoying teachers . . . friendly fellow . . . good luck.

Senior Play Publicity Committee 4; Radio Club; Advanced Science Club; Weather Club; Science Fair 1, 2, 3, 4.



#### CHARLES LePAGE

"P. G." . . . veteran of our Armed Forces. . . glad to have him in our class.  
Cafeteria Marshall 3; Usher at Framingham and Natick Football Game 3, 4.

#### SIMONE LeROUX

Drama . . . was great in the senior play . . . very sincere . . . wonderful student . . . is leaving for Europe in June . . . plans to attend school and then go into the Diplomatic Service overseas.

Girls' Athletics 2, 4; Hockey 2; Safety Patrol 3, 4; Honor Society 4; Senior Play 4; Dramatic Club 1, 2, 3, 4; Business Service Club 4.



#### BARBARA LIGON

"Barb" . . . wonderful friend . . . always cheerful . . . South Natick . . . determined . . . best of luck for the future.

Safety Patrol 4; Glee Club 1, 2; Library Aide 3, 4; Music Festival 1, 2, 3; A Capella Choir 3, 4; Rose Committee for Senior Play 4; Junior Prom Decoration Committee 3.





#### JAMES LINTON

"Jimmy" . . . crew-cut . . . always ready with a joke . . . doesn't care much for school or books . . . likes food and whatever he washes it down with . . . good potential if he would use it.  
Baseball 1; Football 1, 2; Hockey 1, 2.

#### ALLEN LOANE

"Al" likes baseball and basketball and is a credit to N. H. S. in both. He does very well scholastically and is particularly partial to mathematics, and Mr. Shea. Lunch is his favorite period and he buys two every day. Rock'n Roll does not appeal to him, but food'n girls do!

Baseball 1, 2, 3, 4; Basketball 1, 2, 3, 4; Football 1; Student Council 2, 3; Executive Board 2; President of the Class 2; Graduation Usher 3; Vice-President of "N" Club 4; "N" Club 3, 4; Good Government Day Committee 4; "N" Club Dance 4.



#### RICHARD LOFGREN

"Dick" . . . Loaf . . . owner of an aqua Ford with an "added attraction" . . . wonderful sense of humor . . . Maltex!!

Baseball 1, 2, 3, 4; Football 1; Glee Club 1.

#### EDWARD LOMBARD

Model planes . . . real cool dresser . . . black curly hair . . . carefree.



#### BEVERLY LONG

"Bev" . . . frequently seen at the Stop and Shop . . . Joe . . . likes Blue Fords . . . double lunch . . . 8:28 rush! . . . those Sunday afternoon drives . . . lucky girl to have naturally wavy hair . . . favorite class Modern Problems. (I wonder why) . . . likes pizza . . . winning personality.

Girls' Athletics 1; Glee Club 1, 2, 3, 4; Campus Club 1, 2, 3, 4.

#### KAREN LOOMIS

Karen enjoys her extracurricular activities such as part-time working at Jordan Marsh Co. which she hopes to make a career. She likes pizzas, and lobster cocktails, and has special interests in Framingham. She's very enthusiastic about N. H. S. and car insurance. Did You finally get it?





#### GEORGE LUMBERT

Hot-rod fan . . . friendly to everyone . . . always willing to lend a helping hand . . . carefree . . . neat appearance . . . the class of '59 wishes you the best of luck in the future.

#### GEORGE MABARDY

A three year member of our varsity hockey squad . . . dislikes smokers . . . quiet when in a crowd, but voices his opinions sufficiently . . . frequently seen near the Gulf Gas Station on North Main Street . . . most likely found in or working on his red and white convertible.

Ambition: To graduate!

#### RONALD MacKENZIE

Answers to the nickname of "Ron" "Al" or "Tab" . . . great actor in the Senior Play . . . makes frequent trips to Brookfield . . . a fountain engineer at Hughes' Pharmacy in Framingham . . . favorite class: Advanced Biology . . . likes Mercuries . . . pet expression: "Oh, sure".

Ambition: To become a doctor.

Band 1, 2; Orchestra 2; Senior Play 4; Science Fair 1, 2, 3, 4; Executive Board 1, 2, 3, 4; Massachusetts State Science Fair 1, 2, 3, 4; Worcester County Regional Science Fair 1, 2, 3, 4.

#### EDWINA MALLEK

Gorgeous blonde hair . . . chic wardrobe . . . blushes easily . . . "Eddie" . . . Those black tights and shoes with little heels.

Literary Staff Sassamon Board 1; Student Council 2; Campus Club 2; Business Service Club 4.

#### JUDITH MALONE

"Judy" . . . loads of fun . . . great sense of humor . . . always immaculately dressed . . . liked by all . . . ardent hockey fan . . . nice smile . . . "Oh, those freckles" a great kid.

Glee Club 4; Business Service Club 4.

#### ALICE MARTIN

"Al" . . . wonderful sense of humor . . . quite shy . . . ardent photographer . . . enjoys French 3 . . . member National Honor Society . . . neat as a pin . . . hails from North Dakota . . . will be a success in any field.

Glee Club 1, 2; Honor Society 3, 4; A Capella 3, 4; Library Aide 3, 4; Senior Play Decoration Committee; Junior Usher at 1958 Graduation.







#### STEPHANIE MARTIN

Stephen Martin — full of fun . . . works at Jordan Marsh . . . always well-groomed . . . a good listener.

Safety Patrol 3, 4; Prom Decoration and Refreshment Committees 3; Football Dance Committee 3; Senior Play Rose Committee 4; Intramural Basketball 2; Sophomore Dance Committee 2; Campaign Manager 2; Cotillion Decoration Committee 4; Modern Dance Club 4; Sadie Hawkins Dance Committee 3; Science Fair 4.

#### WARREN MASON

Warren is known as "Mase" to his friends. He is quiet but has a hidden mischievous streak! He hails from South Natick and is interested in cars, especially a certain green Merc. Oh, that wavy dark hair and blue eyes!



#### LARRY McCARTHY

"Mac" . . . blue chevy . . . often seen with a certain sophomore girl . . . favorite class: English . . . Pet peeve: tall girls . . . can be found after school at Lawson's Cleaners . . . his ambition is to graduate from college . . . oh those pizzas . . . spends time during the summer on the Cape.

Weather Club 3; Science Fair 1, 2.

#### JAMES McCLOSKEY

Jimmy has an unending list of friends . . . talented with the drums . . . seen with Judy . . . National Guard . . . "Can I have the car, Pete?" . . . loyal classmate . . . best of luck in the future, Jim.

Band 2; Glee Club 2; Orchestra 2; Student Council 2; Executive Board 2; Photography Club 2; Senior Play Ticket Committee 4; Good Government Day Representative 4.



#### PATRICIA McCLOSKEY

"McGillicuddy" . . . A wonderful sense of humor . . . A practical joker . . . Riot at parties and showers . . . Seen around with a boy named Bill. Have you seen her third finger, left hand? . . . Good luck, Pat.

Girls' Athletics 1; Girls' Softball Team 3; Prom Decoration Committee 3; G. A. A. 3; Senior Play Ticket Committee 4; Yearbook Typing Committee 4.

#### JOSEPH McDONALD

"Joey" . . . has a nice smile, likes hot rodding (and a certain blue Ford) . . . and a particular senior girl in his homeroom. He's often seen in the cafeteria on patrol or in detention hall (for being late). When you get to know Joey, he's a lot of fun.

Cafeteria Marshall 2.





#### DANIEL McGEE

"Danny" . . . hockey goals galore . . . Jan . . . convertibles . . . determined scholar . . . bound to be a success . . . good luck, Danny.

Hockey 1, 2, 3, 4; Safety Patrol 4; Junior Prom Decoration Committee 3; Junior Prom Usher 3; Cafeteria Marshall 3; "N" Club 3, 4.



#### MARY McKEEN

"Toni" . . . beautiful clothes . . . oh, those hair styles . . . very nice to know . . . aspiring artist . . . somewhat shy . . . admired by many.

Campus Club 2; Junior Prom Art Committee 3; Yearbook Art Committee 4; Executive Board 1.



#### HELEN McLAUGHLIN

Beautiful blue eyes . . . A reliable and staunch friend . . . loyal to East Natick . . . Often seen riding in a green Chevy.

#### RUTHANN MEAGHER

One of the peppiest cheerleaders . . . extra special interest in the goalie of the hockey team . . . ski trips . . . Oh, that lovable laugh.

Sassamon Business Staff 3, 4; Executive Board 4; Cheerleader 4; Drill Team 3; Decorations for Junior Prom 3; Publicity Committee for Senior Play 4; Campus Club 2; Dramatics Club 2; Nurses Aid 4.



#### LEONARD MEGLIOLA

"Lennie" is the greatest eater of Italian grinders in N. H. S. His favorite class is English, especially his junior year. Lennie likes to start the senior cheer at first lunch and will always keep you in stitches.

Baseball 1, 2, 4; Basketball 3, 4.

#### HERBERT S. MINGACE, JR.

"Sherbet Mongoose" . . . "You bum!" . . . keeps Mr. McDermott's classes in conniptions . . . and they say *women* talk.

Football 1, 3, 4; Track 1, 2, 3, 4; Safety Patrol 3, 4; Executive Board 2; "N" Club 4.





#### LORRAINE MITCHELL

Oh, that beautiful long hair! . . . loves to draw and is an excellent artist . . . has a friendly "Ipana smile" . . . Aldo . . . ambitious and willing worker . . . Lots of luck and success, Lorraine!

Girls' Athletics 1; Glee Club 1, 2; Senior Play Art Committee 4; Junior Prom Art Committee 3; Yearbook Art Committee 4.

#### MARILYN MITCHELL

"Mitch", Yuletide queen . . . Dribbling Drip . . . Beautiful smile . . . good student . . . saggy tights . . . wonderful friend . . . crazy laugh . . . Bryce . . . skiing anyone . . . southern belle . . . with her personality she will be a success at anything she tries.

Girls' Athletics 3, 4; Hockey 3, 4; Glee Club 3; Honor Society 4; A Capella 4; Executive Board 2, 3; Intramural Basketball 3, 4; Chairman Prom Refreshment Committee 3; Science Fair 2; Safety Patrol 3, 4.



#### BARBARA MONTGOMERY

"Barb" . . . a cheerful hi for everyone . . . laughing eyes . . . "I shouldn't eat it, but . . ." . . . excellent pianist . . . loves roller skating . . . works (?) at the town library.

Band 4; Glee Club 1, 2, 3, 4; Poster Committee for Freshman and Sophomore Dances 1, 2; Refreshment Committee for Freshman and Sophomore Dances 1, 2; Decoration Committee Sophomore Dance 2; Dramatic Club 3; Nurses Club 3; Science Fair 3; A Capella Pianist 2, 3, 4; Music Senior Play 1; Music Graduation Exercises 1, 2, 3; Usher Senior Play.

#### DIANE MONTGOMERY

"Face" . . . football . . . N. H. S. fan . . . shiny dark hair and blue eyelashes . . . always has a joke . . . sure to be fun when Diane is around . . . loves to drive around in her Pontiac . . . friendly . . . best of luck in the future.

Girls' Athletics 1; Arts and Crafts Club 2; Usher Junior Prom 3; Prom Refreshment Committee 3; Prom Decoration Committee 3; Decoration Committee Christmas Cotillion 4; Library Aide 3.



#### KAREN ALICE MOORE

Chocolate egg nog fan . . . loves biology or anything to do with nature . . . determined prize winner . . . rather shy, but really a wonderful person to know . . . Karen is headed for high points in the future.

Girls' Athletics 3; Hockey 3; Library Aide 3, 4; Business Service Club 3, 4; Science Club 2; Science Fair 1, 2, 3, 4.

#### PATRICIA MORGAN

"Pat" . . . Blue-eyed blond . . . friendly smile . . . embarrassed easily . . . "Oh me" . . . a member of a certain Modern Problems Class . . . one of the "Fleet" . . . Good Luck, you'll make a wonderful nurse.

Girls' Athletics 3, 4; Glee Club 1, 2; Campaign Manager 1, 3; Cheerleader 3, 4; Class Registra, Election 3; Decoration Committee Junior Prom 3; Cheerleading Competition 3, 4; Sophomore Carnival Dance Refreshment Committee 2; Ticket Committee Senior Play 4; Usher for Talent Show 2; Photography Club 1; Decoration Committee for Christmas Cotillion 4; Accountant for Election 1, 2; Decoration Committee for Welcome Freshman Dance 2, 3.





#### MARY MORRILL

Short cute . . . long long hair . . . rather quiet . . . artistically inclined . . . very neat . . . sews very well . . . best of luck in the future.

Publicity Senior Play 4; Decorations Junior Prom 3; Science Fair 3; Publicity Christmas Cotillion 4; Publicity Science Fair 3; Dramatics Club 3, 4.



#### ROLAND MORRIS

Another quiet member of our class, Roland left us in January to enter the Navy, but he left some of his cartoons in S-259 for us to remember him by. He's remembered by many as "Professor Beak."

#### JUDY MOSMAN

Petite . . . friendly . . . Demolay Sweetheart . . . Terrific job as Martha in "Dear Ruth" . . . Natick's cutest librarian . . . will surely be a success in whatever she chooses to do.  
Ambition: Wants to go to Bates.

Safety Patrol 4; Glee Club 1, 2, 3; Sassamon Board 4; Decoration and Refreshment Committees Sophomore Dance 2; Usher Junior Prom 3; Senior Play Reading Committee 3; Refreshment Committee Junior Prom 3; A Capella Choir 4; Honor Society 4.



#### RONALD MUISE

"Ronnie" music man . . . really blows that big shiny horn . . . dark dark crew cut . . . get along well with students especially the girls . . . played accompaniment for Senior Play March . . . passion for hamburgers and french fries and "don't forget the coke."

Golf 3; Band 1, 2, 3, 4; Orchestra 1, 2; Massachusetts All State Concert 3; Dance Band 1, 2, 3, 4; Senior Play Sound Effects 2; Prom Orchestration Committee 3.

#### FREDERICK MUNRO

Not a care in the world . . . one of the quieter members of our class . . . N. H. S. wishes you luck, Fred.



#### JANET MURPHY

"Murph" . . . always a laugh when Janet is present . . . likes Red and Black Mercs . . . dislikes walking to school.

Ambition: Go to Chandlers.

Business Service Club 4; Yearbook Typing Committee 4.





RICHARD NELSON

"Dick" . . . one of the quiet members of the class until he gets with "The Boys." Unexpected quips. Future mechanical engineer.

Golf 1, 2, 4; "N" Club 3, 4.



KATHLEEN O'BRIEN

"Obie," a loyal supporter of school activities, possesses that Irish cheerfulness that makes her the life of any party. There was never a dull moment in S-259. She has the ability to make and keep friends and she is well-liked by all who know her.

Ambition: Airline Stewardess.

Girls' Athletics 2, 3, 4; Hockey 3, 4; Sassamon Board 1; Decorations for Freshman Dance 1; Intramural Basketball 2, 3, 4; Committee for Sophomore Dance 2; Science Fair 2; Pep Club 3; Decoration Committee for Prom 3; Costumes for Senior Play 4.



EILEEN ANN O'CONNELL

One of "The Fleet" . . . noted for her neatness and sincerity . . . loves long hair . . . makes friends wherever she goes.

Sassamon Board 2; Prom Decoration Committee 3; Ticket Committee for Senior Play 4; Business Service Club 3.

RONALD ERIC OLDFIELD

"Ron" . . . smiles frequently . . . likes minerals . . . a good sincere friend . . . easy to know . . . easier to like . . . good Natick High booster . . . sure to succeed . . . Good Luck Ron.

Mineralogy Club 1, 2; Dramatic Club 3.



KATHLEEN OWENS

"Tex" . . . "Rebel" are a few of the nicknames given to this Southern lass. One of the most attractive girls in the Senior class. Future actress. Good luck, Cathy.

Junior Executive Board 3; Orchestra Committee for Prom 3; Drama Club 3, 4; Business Service Club 4; Science Fair 2; Make Up Committee for Senior Play 4; Safety Patrol 3, 4.

M. ALDO PAGLIARULO

"Pag" . . . loves to dance . . . seen often at the Central Service Garage . . . likes working around cars . . . enjoys drawing . . . (and Lorraine!) . . . Best of luck, Aldo.

Sassamon Board 4; Senior Play 4.





#### ANDREW PARKER

"Andy" . . . loves to hunt . . . always jolly . . . Oh! that curly hair! . . . school? — who needs it? . . . enjoys having a good time . . . quiet? — some may think so, but his friends know different . . . Good luck in the future, Andy.

Football 1; A Capella 2, 3, 4.



#### CYNTHIA PAUL

"Cyn" . . . nice person to know . . . hard worker . . . determined yet fun loving . . . is bound to get far with her ambition.

Glee Club 1, 2, 3.

#### MARDELL PEASE

"Mard" . . . "Mornin Mrs. Wilkens" . . . Ha Ha Ha . . . soprano senior six . . . skier . . . good student . . . loves that "Math" . . . "This is an anonymous friend" . . . Dribbling Drip's invaluable forward (throws the ball to the other team) . . . wonderful person who is sure to go far.

Girls' Athletics 3, 4; Glee Club 1, 2; Senior Play 4; A Capella Choir 3, 4; Science Fair 1, 2; Prom Decoration Committee 3; Prom Refreshment Committee 3; Senior Six 4; Basketball Playday Refreshment Committee 3.



#### WESLEY PEOPLES

"Wes" . . . Proud owner of a white Jaguar . . . Passion for hunting . . . A sense of humor that can't be beat . . . Can't miss him in the corridor, he's the one that causes the riots . . . Troublemaker!

#### BRUCE PETERSON

Real Great Guy . . . likes Swedish girls (right from Sweden) . . . likes veal cutlet . . . dislikes to lose an argument (usually wins) . . . likes to play cards (for money) . . . seems to like money (never spends it) Best of luck in the future, Bruce.

Basketball 1, 2, 3, 4; Baseball 1, 2, 3, 4; Football 1, 2, 3, 4; Student Council 2, 3; Executive Board 1, 2, 3.



#### GAIL PHILLIPS

Cheerful . . . those afternoons in the Science Building . . . the Science Fair . . . works at the Main Street Pharmacy . . . good conversationalist . . . smart.

Glee Club 4; Sassamon Board 4; Senior Play Ticket Committee 4; Science Fair Committee 3, 4; Junior Prom Decorations Committee 3; Christmas Cotillion Decorations 4; Science Fair 1, 2, 3, 4; Library Aide 3, 4; Sewing Club 2; Science Assembly 1; Worcester Regional Science Fair 4; Honor Society 4.





#### ANNE PHINNEY

"Feeney" . . . hilarious member of our class . . . Secretary of the Safety Patrol . . . great fun to know . . . impish smile . . . a sure success in any field. Good Luck, Anne.

Basketball 1; G. A. A. 1, 2, 3, 4; Hockey 1, 2, 3, 4; Tennis 1, 2, 3, 4; Safety Patrol 3, 4; Commissioner of Safety Patrol 4; President G. A. A. 4.

#### JAMES PICKERING

"Pickles" . . . Oh, those A's in Algebra . . . has trouble parking on Union Street!! . . . Alice . . . Known for sleeping in school . . . mechanical genius . . . He keeps his chariot going, HOW???



#### MARY PIERCE

A Capella . . . A & P . . . quiet as a mouse . . . Senior Six . . . sweet and sincere . . . good student . . . full of enthusiasm . . . Good Luck, Mary.

Safety Patrol 3, 4; Glee Club 2, 3; Honor Society 3, 4; Sassamon Board 3, 4; Refreshment Committee for Sophomore Dance; Chairman Refreshment Committee Sadie Hawkins Dance 3; Decoration Committee for Junior Prom; Publicity Committee for Senior Play; Senior Executive Board; A Capella 4; Secretary Safety Patrol 4; Managing Editor for Sassamon 4; Senior Six.

#### CYNTHIA PIERRO

Cindy is constantly in motion, and her vivacity shines in her brown eyes. She always lends a willing hand and can be depended upon when it is necessary. Cynthia likes a good time, and will put a spark into any gathering. She's particularly fond of pizza . . . "58" Chevrolets and Billy??

Science Fair 2; Science Fair Committee 3; Dramatics Club 3; Campus Club 2; Sassamon Subscription 1; Sassamon Business Staff 1; Sophomore Dance Publicity 2; Creative Writings Club 2; Talent Show 2; Honor Society 4.



#### VIRGINIA PIERRO

"Gidge" . . . petite and cute as a button . . . somewhat shy . . . comical expressions . . . curly dark hair . . . neat dresser . . . very well liked by all who know her . . . nice smile. Natick High wishes you the best of luck, Gidge.

Glee Club 1, 2; Honor Society 4; Guidance Committee 3; Business Service Club.

#### JOHN PINE

Eh, school . . . Oh those week-ends!! . . . Hails from North Natick . . . a riot in school . . . one of "the boys".

Football 1.





#### CHARLENE PINKHAM

"Charlie"

C-cheery disposition  
H-happiness, shown every day  
A-ability, to mix with others  
R-reliability, always on the job  
L-loyalty for all class functions  
E-energy, which seems to be endless  
N-Natick Spirit, shown at all the games  
E-entertainment, after cheering practice

Sassamon Board 3; Student Council 1; Executive Board 2, 3, 4; Cheerleading 3, 4; Subscription Committee, Yearbook Chairman 4; Chairman Publicity for Cotillion 4; Music Committee Football Dance 1; Decoration Committee for the Prom 3; Sophomore Carnival Music Committee 2; Senior Play Ticket Committee 4; M.C. at Sophomore Carnival 2; Music Committee for Freshman Dance 1.

#### GRETCHEN POLHEMUS

Well-liked, especially by the boys . . . thoughtful of others . . . often sought for when good advice is needed . . . loves snow and tabogganing at Walnut Hill . . . cute nose . . . beautiful eyes . . . like's Mr. Marcoux's class . . . "Chico" . . . We miss your pony tail, Gretch . . . wants to be a nurse.

Glee Club 3; Freshman Dance Decorations Committee 1; Junior Prom Decoration Committee 3; Senior Play Ticket Committee 4; Cotillion Decoration Committee 4; Glee Club Festival.

#### KENNETH POOLE

"Kenny" . . . best-dressed senior . . . winning smile . . . friendly to everyone . . . shy???? . . . rarely seen without Dick . . . sports enthusiast . . . will surely be a success in whatever he chooses.

Football 1, 2; Track 4; Hockey 1; Usher at Senior Play 4; Radio Club 1; Science Fair 1, 3.

#### RICHARD POWERS

"Pug" is very well known in the class as being the finest handler of cards. He pursues his favorite pastime during the Football and Basketball seasons when he is manager. "Pug" is very well liked by everybody, and is very easy to get along with.

Basketball Manager 2, 3, 4; Football Manager 1, 2, 3, 4.

#### DONNA PRYOR

Brown eyes . . . partial to servicemen . . . wherever there's a laugh, Donna's usually in the middle . . . a friend to all.

Sassamon Board 1; Executive Board 1, 2, 3; Pep Club 3, 4; Vice President of Pep Club 4; Thanksgiving Half-Time 3, 4; Prom Decoration Committee 3; Senior Play Ticket Committee 4; Subscription Committee 4; Sadie Hawkins Dance Record Committee 3; Usherette at Prom 3; Typing Committee Yearbook 4; Dance Chorus for Musical 4.

#### MARY PURCELL

"Purcy" . . . Oh! Those M.I.T. parties . . . has everything- money, looks, brains . . . always talking French . . . Only Senior with a different colored class ring!

Girls' Athletics 3, 4; Honor Society 3, 4; Sassamon Board 1, 2, 3; Spring Carnival Decoration Committee 2; Junior Prom Art Committee 3; Junior Prom Decoration Committee 3; Football Dance Publicity Committee 3; Senior Play Usherette 4.







#### CATHERINE QUIRK

"Cathy" . . . shy . . . nice to know . . . beautiful clothes . . . always so neat . . . loyal member of Natick High . . . friendly to all . . . class of '59 wishes Cathy all the best in the future.

Basketball 2; Junior Prom Decoration Committee.



#### MARIE RAFTERY

"Maire" . . . plans to enter the Air Force and become a stewardess . . . may be found frequently at the hospital . . . loyal rooter for N. H. S. . . . shorthand student . . . cute . . . winning personality.

Basketball 1, 2; Business Service Club 4; Drill Team 2.



#### PETER RANNEY

"Rere" . . . famous for his great job in the class play . . . also in the musical . . . casonova . . . interests in Dedham . . . always having fun.

Basketball 2; Tennis 1; Senior Play 4; Christmas Cotillion Decoration; Weather Club 1, 2; Radio Club 2; Musical 4.



#### RICHARD REYNOLDS

"Silence is a sign of intelligence." "Dick" quiet, shy, one of the taller members of our class . . . his favorite subject is power mechanics . . . collects records . . . would like to be a disk jockey . . . Best of luck from the class of '59.



#### LEE RICHARD

Called Bee — always has a comical quip — loves old records and Saturday night parties. Oh, that curly, black hair!

Basketball 1, 2, 3, 4; Executive Board 4; Play Publicity Committee 4.

#### PHILIP RIERDAN

"Phil" . . . there's mischief in those sparkling eyes . . . one of the South Natick "boys" . . . what's new at the Circle, Phil? . . . Quite in school, but not out . . . that indescribable walk and black, black hair . . . suave, intriguing type . . . Girls???





#### JANE ROBERTS

Janie . . . One of the "Fleet" . . . A teacher's pest . . . A practical joker . . . Everyone's friend . . . Dave.

Business Service Club 4.



#### ROBERT ROBINSON

An excellent and conscientious student . . . discusses any topic with ease . . . sincere friend . . . never in a rush . . . can't help but succeed.

Honor Society 3, 4.

#### HAROLD ROEY

Ivy League all the way . . . dig that deep voice . . . hard worker . . . can always be depended on for a job or a joke . . . Best of luck from the greatest class.

Freshman Executive Board 1; Secretary. Vice-President of Photography Club 1, 2; Current Events Club 1.



#### FRED ROGERS

Friendly but shy . . . good friend to have . . . working man . . . determined scholar . . . his unceasing ambition will carry him far on the path way of life.

Glee Club 1, 2, 3; Scenery for Senior Play 3; A Capella 2, 3, 4.

#### PAUL ROGERS

"Smiley" . . . happy go lucky . . . friendly type . . . flair for cars and conversation . . . has the ability to be a good student.

Football 2.



#### ROBERTA ROGERS

"Bobbi" . . . short blond . . . excuse me . . . brown hair . . . Lillian . . . she can argue anyone out of anything . . . loyalty to the bone.

Ambition: To be the future teacher of America.

Sassamon Board 2; Refreshments for Dance 2; Library Aide 2, 3, 4; Future Teachers Club 2; Science Fair 4; Guidance Committee 4; Honor Society 4.





#### ALLAN ROSS

Witty . . . dry . . . lover of Basketball . . . likes the girls . . . cars . . . loyal supporter of class activities.

Basketball 1, 2, 4; Executive Board 2; Sassamon Board 2.

#### ROBERT ROTH

"Bob" the man with the curly red hair . . . witty and clever . . . always ready with an answer or excuse . . . jokes by the barrel full . . . food fan . . . best of luck in your future plans.



#### LAURA SANBORN

Friendly smile for everyone . . . cheerful . . . loyal supporter of our football team . . . never a frown . . . doesn't care too much for school . . . has pretty blue eyes . . . Best of luck and happiness in your future, whatever it may be that you choose.

Orchestra 1; Arts and Crafts Club 1.



#### PAUL SAPANORO

"Joe" . . . known as the general. Often seen in Saxonville. Has a way with underclassmen.

#### CAROL SAVALONIS

Freckles . . . curly hair . . . food . . . clothes . . . loyal Natickite . . . booming personality . . . "hep with pep" . . . nice to know . . . bound for a high goal.

Basketball 2; Glee Club 3; Business Service Club 3, 4; Girls Drill Team 2.

#### RONALD SAVALONIS

"Ronnie" . . . known by his '47 Ford. A wonderful mechanic "Transmissions" sometimes shy . . . but always ambitious.





#### BRUCE SHERNIG

Oh! that nice wavy hair . . . he goes wild in Dance Band . . . usually very quiet but he gets around . . . good student . . . can usually be found with Sandy . . . Good luck, Bruce.

Band 1, 2, 3, 4; Orchestra 1, 2, 3; Dance Band 1, 2, 3, 4.

#### LORRALYN SELLER

"The quietest friendship is often the best." "Lorrie" . . . quiet but friendly . . . loves Spanish . . . reserved . . . good worker . . . Buenas Suerte!

Band 2, 3; Glee Club 3, 4; Orchestra 1, 2; A Capella 4; Future Nurses Club 4; Library Aide 3, 4.



#### ROBERT SHAFFER

Jolly . . . sense of humor . . . never irritated . . . wonderful friend . . . envious smile.  
Golf 2; Science Fair 2.

#### KENNETH SHELDON

"Kenny" . . . always a laugh when he's around . . . the life of any party . . . likes a certain Sophomore . . . National Guard . . . and cars . . . mischievous . . . happy go lucky!!

Gym Club 2, 3, 4.



#### BARBARA SIMONS

"Barb" . . . quiet but cute . . . loves math . . . neat as a pin . . . naturally wavy hair . . . loves horses, dogs, birds, people . . . friendly . . . special attraction to Framingham . . . destined to be the homemaker of 1968 . . . what charm . . . very fluent conversationist . . . with her hands . . . sign language.

Girls' Athletics 1.



#### SANDRA SKEANS

"Sandy" . . . short and rather quiet . . . often seen at the Buckaroo . . . would like to attend William and Mary . . . Beware of those Southerners!

Basketball 2, 3; Girls' Athletics 2, 3, 4; Safety Patrol 3, 4; Executive Board 3; Usher Senior Play; Dramatics 1, 2, 3; Ceramics 4; Honor Society 4.





#### RICHARD SOBY

"Dickie . . . too close for comfort to N. H. S. . . . enthusiastic school supporter . . . enjoys chemistry?? . . . always laughing . . . good athlete . . . beautiful brown eyes . . . success in future years is a must.

Baseball 1, 2, 3, 4; Basketball 1, 2, 3, 4; Football 1, 2; Usher at Thanksgiving Day Football Game.

#### JOHN SOULE

Tall and handsome . . . gay and debonair . . . fine friend . . . lover of sports.

Baseball 1; Basketball 2.



#### RAYMOND STACKPOLE

Often seen driving his motorcycle . . . partial to Framingham . . . Always ready for a laugh . . . fireworks in the Spring . . . great sayings!

#### RICHARD STANLEY

"Dick" . . . friendly to everyone . . . proud South Natick resident . . . wavy red hair . . . capable member of the Cafeteria Patrol . . . carefree . . . fun to know . . . will succeed.

Football 2, 3; Track 4; Gym Club 1, 2; Arts and Crafts 2; Usher at Thanksgiving Day Football Game 4; Cafeteria Marshal 4; Executive Board 2; Decoration Committee for Junior Prom 3; Senior Play Ticket Committee 4.



#### JOHN STEVENS

Sports, sports, sports . . . hard worker . . . determined . . . All for Natick . . . wonderful football and basketball player . . . an athlete who will be a credit to N. H. S. . . . friend to all.

Baseball 1, 2, 3, 4; Basketball 1, 2, 3, 4; Football 1, 2, 3, 4; Vice President of Sophomore Class 2.

#### ANN STEWART

"Stewie" . . . always full of fun . . . the cutest blond . . . never refuses anyone a ride in that bright red chevy . . . Jordan Marsh . . . a loyal friend . . . excellent student . . . great clarinet player.

Basketball 3, 4; Girls' Athletics 3, 4; Executive Board G. A. A. 4; Field Hockey 3, 4; Band 1, 2, 3, 4; Honor Society 3, 4; Vice President of Honor Society 4; Orchestra 1, 2, 3; Science Fair Committee 1, 3; Usher Graduation 3; Usher for Senior Play 4.





#### CLIFFORD STONE

Who, me? . . . familiar first line . . . Mischievous . . . friendly . . . nice guy.



#### CLEMENT STROMBERG

"Butch" . . . hates to be called Clement . . . mischievous . . . outnumbered 7 to 1 at home . . . hot-rod fan . . . Maryland emigrant . . . happy-go-lucky . . . enthusiastic Chemistry student?? . . . has many friends . . . lots of fun to know . . . good luck.

Cafeteria Marshall 4; Gym Club 3, 4.



#### MARGARET STROMBERG

"Margie" cute friendly little blonde . . . personality plus . . . records and clothes suit her fancy . . . always be prepared with "Hi" and a cheerful smile is her motto . . . Best of luck in the future.

Decorations Committee for Junior Prom 3.



#### NANCY SULLIVAN

The sincerity and friendliness of Nance has brought her lasting popularity. She has been active in school activities and is a loyal supporter of N. H. S. She worked at the Buckaroo, but was able to keep her marks up and get on the Honor Society. Nancy deserves the very best life has to offer.

Safety Patrol 3, 4; Glee Club 1; Student Council 1, 2, 3, 4; A Capella 4; Senior Six 4; Senior Play Usherette 4; Executive Board 1, 3; Class Secretary 3; Revision of Handbook Committee 3; Honor Society 4.

#### SHEILA SULLIVAN

Happy, and always smiling . . . quiet, some think! . . . has sense of humor . . . neat as a pin . . . has knack with needle and thread . . . Did you see the diamond she's sporting? . . . Brad . . . may success and happiness go with you.

#### JAMES TEAGUE

What a sense of humor! . . . can always get a laugh . . . curly hair . . . loves to hunt. Hockey 1.





#### JEAN TESSIER

Often quiet . . . will never forget that slumber party . . . happy disposition . . . brown eyes with a gleam . . . lots of luck in secretarial work.

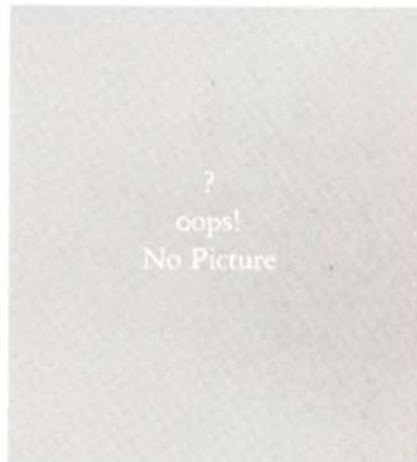
Glee Club 2; Sassamon Board 1; Junior Prom Committee 3; Campus Club 2.

#### RONALD THERIEAU

"Elvis" . . . always around where there's fun . . . likes girls . . . National Guard . . . a mad photographer.

Ambition: To be an electrician.

Photography Club 1, 2; Gym Club 3; Weight Lifting Club 3, 4.



#### ANN THOMPSON

The girl with nicknames galore . . . soft voice and shy manner but a laugh that can raise a roof . . . wonderful friend . . . has a grand sense of humor . . . can usually be found after school in A-117, typing away always spotlessly dressed.

Executive Board 2; Senior Play Ticket Committee 4; Pep Club 4; Campus Club 1; Prom Decoration Committee 3; Election Official 2; Modern Dance Club 4.



The person who was to go here, didn't show up so — no picture.

#### LINDA TORTI

Small in stature . . . sophistication plus . . . always wearing a new hair-do.

Prom Decoration Committee 3; Prom Art Committee 3.

#### MARIAN TRAVAGLINI

"Mary" . . . dreams for civil service career in Washington . . . interests in Maryland . . . works at Regan Realty . . . pajama parties . . . ELVIS . . . shorthand whiz??? . . . bowls 123! . . . successful for sure!

Basketball 2; Campus Club 2; Prom Decoration Committee 3.





#### MARGARET TRUNDY

"Peggie" . . . those unexpected remarks . . . a loyal supporter of the G. A. A. . . . Likes to do a senior boy's Latin homework . . . plans to major in sociology.

Girls' Athletics 3, 4; Honor Society 4; Dramatic Club 3; Business Service Club 3; Usher Senior Play 4; Senior Play Ticket Committee 4; Decorations Junior Prom 3.

#### DIANN UHLIN

"Lynn" . . . What a dancer! . . . singer, too . . . why did she cut her hair? . . . partial to the name "Bobbi" . . . plans to be a dancing teacher . . . loves clothes, collies, horses, people.

Glee Club 3; Art Club 3; Modern Dance Club 4, (founder); Decoration Committee Sophomore Carnival 2; Thanksgiving Game Half-Time 3; Chairman Art Committee Junior Prom 3; Yearbook Subscription Committee 4; Decoration Committee 4; Dramatic Club 2.



#### JOSEPH VAY

A very handsome boy . . . tall . . . a deep voice . . . loves tennis . . . quiet a way with females. Tennis 3.

#### RICHARD VONER

That Perry Como sweater . . . a certain freshman girl . . . plans to go to Bentley . . . cheerful . . . likes to go hunting.

Baseball 3; Golf 4; Track 4; Sassamon Delivery Staff 3.



#### JOHN WALL

Oh so much trouble with his cars! . . . Where's Joe? . . . those regular trips to Wellesley . . . a new supply of jokes every week . . . Kathy . . . Good luck in the future.

Baseball 4; Basketball 1; Prom Decoration Committee.



#### ROBERT WALLACE

Band 1, 2.





#### RODRICK WALLACE

"Rod" . . . great interest in science, especially rocketry . . . will talk about any subject at any time . . . the class of 1959 will always remember him for his intelligence.

Safety Patrol; Science Fair 1, 3, 4; Math Club 4.

#### JAMES WALTERS

"Jim" . . . Hot-Rod fan . . . Friendly to everyone . . . Never A dull moment when Jim's around!! . . . Enjoys hunting . . . Good luck in the future.

Football 2; Radio Club 1, 2, 3, 4.



#### FRANK WALTON

Quiet in school . . . hails from Scotland . . . likes girls . . . concerned with the outcome of all sports events.

Baseball 3.

#### ALICE WARD

Better known as "Al" . . . one of the "fleet" . . . not a care in the world . . . DONNIE . . . an unexpected sense of humor . . . seen in Main St. Pharmacy.

Glee Club 1, 4; Ticket Committee for Senior Play Decoration Committee for Junior Prom; Executive Board 1; Senior Chorus 4.



#### DEAN WEBB

Captain Deano . . . spider legs . . . fast man in spikes and skates . . . cars, GIRLS, cars . . . hard determined worker . . . college bait . . . easy success . . . good luck Dean.

Basketball 1; Football 1, 2, 3, 4; Golf 1, 2, 3, 4; Track 2; Hockey 3, 4; "N" Club 3, 4; Usher at Prom 3.

#### RICHARD WELLS

Three-letter athlete . . . always joking . . . Union House . . . PAT . . . green Chevy . . . ? habla espanol? . . . Mi-te-na . . . In addition to football, basketball, and baseball, Dick is a proficient swimmer . . . his determination and disposition will undoubtedly bring him success . . . wants to be a Recreational Director.

Baseball 1, 2, 3, 4; Basketball 1, 2, 3, 4; Football 1, 2, 3, 4; Glee Club 1, 2; Student Council 2; "N" Club 3, 4; Student Council Dance 2; Prom Usher; Decoration Committee for Prom 3; Refreshments for Christmas Cotillion 4.





#### GEORGE WESTCOTT

"Chico" . . . 6'1" . . . brown hair . . . big brown eyes . . . "But of course" . . . liked by all, particularly someone in S-259 . . . taboggoning . . . often seen in Wellesley . . . wants to go to B. C. or Colgate.

Baseball 1, 2; Basketball 1, 2, 3; Football 1, 2, 3; Prom Decoration Committee 3; Thanksgiving Game Usher 3; Football Dance Committee 4.

#### WILLIAM WHELAN

"Bill" . . . tall . . . handsome . . . loves to fool around . . . tries hard in school . . . gets along well with classmates . . . best of luck in the future.

Science Fair 2; Radio Club.

#### RUSSELL WHITTEMORE

"Whit" . . . sly sense of humor . . . easy going . . . enjoys athletics . . . lots of fun to know . . . gets along well with the fairer sex . . . always dependable . . . good luck.

Basketball 1, 2, 3, 4; Track 3, 4; Safety Patrol 4; Spring Carnival Decoration Committee 2; Prom Decoration Committee 3; Science Fair 2; Senior Play Usher 4.

#### JANICE WIGNOT

Jani is a good prompter as the members of the senior play realize . . . she is an uncomplaining and diligent worker, (not afraid to do a little extra?) . . . she has a soft voice and her blonde hair is naturally curly . . . Lucky! She is one of the best-liked girls in NHS . . . Good luck to you in the future.

Girls' Athletics (Tennis) 4; Safety Patrol 4; Sassamon Board 1, 2; Junior Prom Decoration Committee 3; Football Dance Decoration Committee 3; Senior Play Ticket Committee 4; Senior Play Reading Committee 4; Sassamon Typing Staff 4; Library Aid 2; Senior Play Script Girl 4; Science Fair 2, 4.

#### CYNTHIA WILBERGER

Cynthia came to NHS for her Senior year . . . we regret that she didn't come sooner . . . for those who know her have found her to be a sincere friend . . . we wish you the best of everything, Cindy.

#### GEORGE WILLIAMS

"Willie" . . . terrific sense of humor . . . never a dull moment when "Willie" is around! . . . track man . . . capable President of our Student Council . . . Oh! those words of wisdom at the assemblies!! . . . good student . . . noisiest table in the lunch room . . . has special interest in certain Wellesley High senior . . . will always carry success wherever he goes.

Track 4; Safety Patrol 3, 4; Glee Club 1, 2, 3; Honor Society 4; Student Council 3, 4; President of Student Council 4; Science Fair 1, 2, 4; Usher, Thanksgiving Day Game 4; Decoration Committee Sophomore Dance 2; Co-chairman, Decoration Committee Junior Prom 3; Executive Board 2, 3; Boys State at University of Massachusetts 3; NHS Athletic Association 4; Junior Member Natick Music Association 4; General Chairman, Football Dance 4; Music Assembly 1, 2, 3; Music Festival 1, 2, 3; Ticket Chairman, Get-Together-Dance 4; Intramural Basketball 4; Campaign Manager 2; Usher, Open House 3, 4.







RALPH WILLIAMS

Ralph has a keen interest in cars . . . often found in Study with his Hot Rod books. Ralph has many outside activities.

Baseball 1.



SUZANNE WINNER

Graceful . . . expressive eyes . . . shy . . . a true friend . . . "pixie."

Campus Club 1, 2, 3, 4; Business Service Club 1, 2, 3, 4; Science Fair 1, 2, 3, 4; Yearbook Typing Committee 4; Operetta 4.



CHARLES WINTERSTON

Skip . . . Speedy. Oh, that innocent look! Often seen in the corridors at 8:35. A quick sense of humor. Those unexpected remarks. One of "The Boys". A wonderful friend.

Baseball 2; Football 2, 3, 4; Track 3, 4.



JOHN WOISH

Great Basketball manager . . . ardent sports fan . . . wants to be a reporter.

Basketball 2, 3, 4; Football 2, 3, 4; Track 2, 3, 4; History Club 2.



JUDITH WOODS

Lynn, as she is more commonly called, was an executive board member for three years. Her pep and personality have made her popular with all her classmates. Her major interests are at the Coast Guard Academy. She plans to be a nurse and she will surely be a success.

Girls' Athletics 3, 4; Glee Club 1, 3; Student Council 4; Executive Board 2, 3, 4; Chairman of Decorations for Sophomore Dance 2.

HAROLD WRIGHT

Drums, drums, drums . . . band leader, NHS president . . . clever but careful . . . great SP man . . . girls and fast cars . . . hard worker . . . true friend . . . always has a tune on his mind . . . swing that little white stick, Harold.

Baseball 1, 2; Band 1, 2, 3, 4; Safety Patrol 3, 4; Honor Society 3, 4; Orchestra 1, 2, 3; Senior Play Publicity Committee 4; Ticket Committee for Cotillion 4; Music Committee for Cotillion 4; Science Fair 1, 2, 3, 4; Executive Board 4; Safety Patrol Commissioner 4; Dance Band 3, 4; Meteorological Club 1, 2; Photography Club 1.





#### RICHARD WRIGHT

Dick . . . hot merc . . . Cape Cod . . . a good friend . . . Navy or Coast Guard . . . collegiate dresser . . . can look forward to a bright future.

Football 1, 2; Track 1, 4; Hockey 1; Prom Usher 3; Prom Decoration Committee 3; Senior Play Ticket Committee 4.

#### TOM YOUNG

"Tommy" . . . hot-rod fan . . . future autobody genius . . . tends to be shy and retiring . . . always ready for a joke . . . friend to all . . . '40 coupe.

Basketball 1, 2; Football 1, 2.

#### RONALD ZICKO

Musical . . . mechanical . . . nice smile . . . easy going . . . great friend.  
A Capella 4.

No pictures available for Russell Thompson, Alden Nelson and Douglas Dunn.

#### ALDEN NELSON

Came to us in January . . . welcome friend . . . every wish for success in the future.

#### "N" CLUB OFFICERS



A. Loane, V. Capizzo, J. Stevens, H. Jones







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Best Acting ..... K. Kugell, M. Mitchell, D. Brown

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Best Artists ..... J. Boyington, M. Morrill, L. Mitchell



Best Athletes ..... June Breda, Dean Webb



Biggest Appetites ..... D. Wells, J. Roberts



Brainiest ..... R. Robinson, N. Hunt



Class Clowns ..... D. Wells, K. O'Brien



Most Collegiate ..... K. Moore, K. Poole





Cutest ..... E. O'Connell, D. McGee



Best Dancers ..... D. Uhlin, G. Williams



Best Figure ..... Pat Hubbard  
Best Physique ..... J. Fallon



Biggest Flirts ..... D. Campisi, V. Capizzo



Best Musicians ..... M. Burke, H. Wright



Neatest ..... R. Wright, J. Drown



Most Popular ..... D. Wells, G. Knott



Wittiest ..... Pat McClosky, Charles Jones



Tallest ..... P. Rogers, A. Thompson  
 Shortest ..... R. Meagher, C. Fritz



Most Talkative ..... A. Ross, C. Pinkham



Nicest Smile ..... J. McClosky, G. Knott

This space reserved for the best looking person in the class. (Paste your picture here).



Most Timid ..... J. Mosman, B. Leavitt

The people who were to go here didn't show up —  
 so — no picture.



Most Sincere ..... B. Leavitt, J. Wignot





# ACTIVITIES





Yearbook Art Committee



Yearbook Typing Committee



Yearbook Subscriptions

# YEARBOOK COMMITTEES

Yearbook Literary Committee







#### SENIOR CLASS PLAY

Front row: I. Hillis, S. Leroux, R. MacKenzie, K. Kuggell. Back row: P. Ranney, M. Pease, D. Brown, R. Brown, I. Fischer, J. Mosman.

#### THE SENIOR PLAY

The Senior Play Reading Committee during our Junior Year selected "Dear Ruth" by Norman Krasna as the class play to be presented in the fall of our Senior year. Mr. Garnett and Miss Heagney conducted tryouts, cast the various roles, and produced the play.

"Dear Ruth" is the comical tale of a high school senior, Miriam Wilkins (Karen Kuggell), who writes letters during the second World War to overseas servicemen. Lt. William Seawright (Peter Ranney), and Harold Klopbermeyer (Richard Brown). To these boys, Miriam sends a picture of her sister Ruth (Irene Hillis), who is engaged to a serious-minded banker, Albert Kummer (David Brown). The father, Harry Wilkins (Ronald MacKenzie), a traffic court judge, and the one-track-minded mother, Edith Wilkins (Simone Le Roux) get mixed into the problem, while trying to straighten it out. Bill comes home to marry Ruth, and panic ensues. Along with Bill comes Sgt. Chuck Vincent (Irwin Fischer), the ex-fiance of Bill's sister, Martha (Judy Mosman). The captivating maid, Dora (Mardell Pease) adds more comedy to an amusing play. After a few amusing incidents such as Albert getting pushed off a train, trying to determine the difference be-

tween a closet and a bathroom, the truth is revealed. Chuck and Martha are married, and Ruth jilts Albert to marry Bill.

The play was substantiated by an eager Senior class, who rose to the occasion enthusiastically to give support. Ticket sales went very well, having been boosted by a publicity march from the Common to Natick High in the rain. The Seniors marched, armed with books, rain apparel and even a few beach umbrellas.

The cast worked hard during rehearsals, but found many amusing incidents to help them over the hard spots. The cast's twin brothers, fortunately, weren't identical. Had they been, only one could have been in the play. Another comical thought was that the "acting" father of the two girls was really younger than both. The hard work was worth all the pleasure it gave the cast to help the Senior class.

Mr. Harry Garnett and Miss Elizabeth Heagney, the play advisors, worked very hard to produce the play. Without them the success of the play would have been impossible. They gave tirelessly of their efforts, and gave up much of their own time to devote to our Senior Class.









On Wednesday and Friday March 11, and 13 the students in the Science classes presented their projects to the public in the Gym. Unfortunately this year as last the weather kept some spectators away. However, there were many new and novel exhibits to interest old and young.

Robert Olshansky, a junior, was awarded the grand prize. His project, "An Analysis of Birefringent Media under Polarized Light," also won first prize in Chemistry. The Science Fair was sponsored by the Rotary International of Natick.

## SCIENCE







## FAIR

Other first prize winners included:

General Science .....	James Mannos
Biology .....	Beverly Hunter
Advanced Biology .....	Ronald MacKenzie
Physics .....	Gail Phillips

Gail Phillips, Natick's third place winner in the Massachusetts State Fair held at Rockwell Cage, Massachusetts Institute of Technology, April 24 - 26. Robert Olshansky won honorable mention.







## “THE COLONEL COMES TO KANSAS”

For the first time in many years, and for the first time in this auditorium, the music groups under the direction of Mr. Leo Bachini, assisted by Harry L. Garnett of the English Department as dramatic coach, presented a bright and sparkling musical production. Dancing, singing and comedy captivated an enthusiastic audience and all left with the hope that more of this type entertainment would be offered by future classes.

Presented on a stage that was most attractive and colorful, the performance got







under way promptly at 8:15 and for the next two and one-half hours such talented artists as Patricia Harcourt, Marilyn Mitchell, Sandra Chamberlain, Nancy Hunt, Mary Pierce, Bruce Connell, David Brown, David Lehan, Peter Ranney, Simone LeRoux, Ted Nelson, Jeffrey Hass, Beverly Ward, Barbara Montgomery, and Roberta Rogers kept the audience well entertained. They were ably assisted by the well-trained choruses and dance teams.







NATICK HIGH SCHOOL BAND



#### MUSIC DEPT. — BAND

The Natick High School Band, under the direction of Mr. Joseph LoPresti, had another successful year providing music for school functions. The marching band played at football games, rallies, the Transfer of Flag Ceremonies, and marched on Veterans' Day and Memorial Day. The concert band, playing concert music and Broadway hits, played at assemblies and in the Music Festival. The 15-piece dance band was an equally great success playing in assemblies and accompanying the Musical. The orchestra also took part in the Music Festival, and played for graduation.





### ACAPPELLA CHORUS

The Acappella chorus was directed under Mr. Bachini and accompanied by Barbara Montgomery.

On December 23 the annual Christmas Festival was held. The Senior Six: Marcia Burke, Sandra Chamberlain, Mary Pierce, Nancy Sullivan, Kris Kerr, and Mardell Pease made their appearance. Also the group called the Junior Jills: Marsha Webb, Beverly Ward, Diane Young, Eileen Parsons, Marcia Thompson and Merryl Donley appeared. These two groups are accompanied by Bob Carroll.

On January 15, the choral assembly included Acappella, Girls Chorus, Boys Chorus, Senior Six, and Junior Jills.

The musical comedy "The Colonel Comes To Kansas" was on March 6. The Acappella Chorus accompanied the soloists and the Dance Band offered background music.

The music festival in April included all choruses, band, orchestra and dance band.

The Acappella Chorus and Girls Chorus attended Wakefield High School in the annual exchange music asseble.

The Senior Chorus sang at Graduation.





THE DOUBLE SEXTETTE



BAND CONCERT









*1958 Junior Prom*







*1958 Christmas Cotillion*







## CHEERLEADERS

Personality, precision, and pertness can well describe the best group of cheerleaders N.H.S. has ever had, the 58 - 59 squad! This group is the first squad that cheered the hockey team on to victory by performing on skates in the Boston Arena.

Their personality really shined during the football season, always there cheering the team on to victory.

Precision stood out during the basketball season

with all those difficult cheers.

To cheer on ice took courage but these girls did just that. Pert, as ever, looking like pros.

The squad this year consisted of: Diane Campisi, Carol Hawkins, Peggy Keaney, Peggie Kilroy, Pat Morgan, Patti Perry, Charlene Pinkham, Marsha Webb and Ruthann Meagher, with Jean Ghilani as their capable leader.







**ATHLETICS**







#### VARSITY FOOTBALL

Front row: J. Fallon, B. Peterson, L. Bartley, J. Stevens, J. Hall, D. Webb, Captain; V. Capizzo, R. Wells, C. Winterson, J. Bradford, C. Adams. Second row: R. Powers, Manager; G. Leighton, J. Dowst, R. Doran, J. Hayes, M. Wilson, R. Wall, D. Hughes, B. Leavitt, G. Peterson, J. Woish, S. Haskell, W. Porter, H. Mingace, D. Bennett, Coach; J. Stalin, Asst. Coach; R. Whalen, Asst. Coach. Third row: W. Hriniak, T. Glynn, J. Gilbert, F. Walker, T. Carroll, T. Nelson, E. Antonori, J. Kiley, R. Foster, P. Kolman, H. Hennigar, B. Connell, T. Donovan, A. Amoroso.

## FOOTBALL

The '58 football team, with Coach Dan Bennett at its helm for the first time, finished a successful season with 7 wins, 1 loss and 1 tie. The team built up fine spirit for their first game with a rough Norwood Club only to get the spirits and themselves dampened, and the game called off. The team finally started the season, beating a strong Walpole team 18-0. Then, with a win under their belt, trounced Wellesley 64-18, and then kept rolling on, beating North Quincy 36-14, Dedham 64-16, Milton 58-6, and







Needham 32-12. The team being defeated only by a slight margin when they met a powerful Braintree team 22-20. They came back strong, however, and beat Norwood 20-0. The season ended coming up against a hard fighting and highly spirited Framingham team and the Thanksgiving Day contest ended in a 6-6 tie.

The team was very ably led by Captain Dean Webb. Jerry Hall, Bruce Peterson, and Brad Leavitt along with Captain Webb made up an efficient backfield. The line was







constantly sparked on by brilliant play from John Stevens, Vito Capizzo, Lynn Bartley, Jim Fallon, and Dick Wells. Juniors Morris Wilson, Captain elect for 1959, and John Hayes were regulars in the line also. One of the reasons Natick had a winning team was there was always someone ready to take over any position. Senior Christy Adams saw a lot of defensive action and other senior linemen Charles Winterson, James Bradford, Dave Hughes, and John Woish were always available. Herb Mingace, another





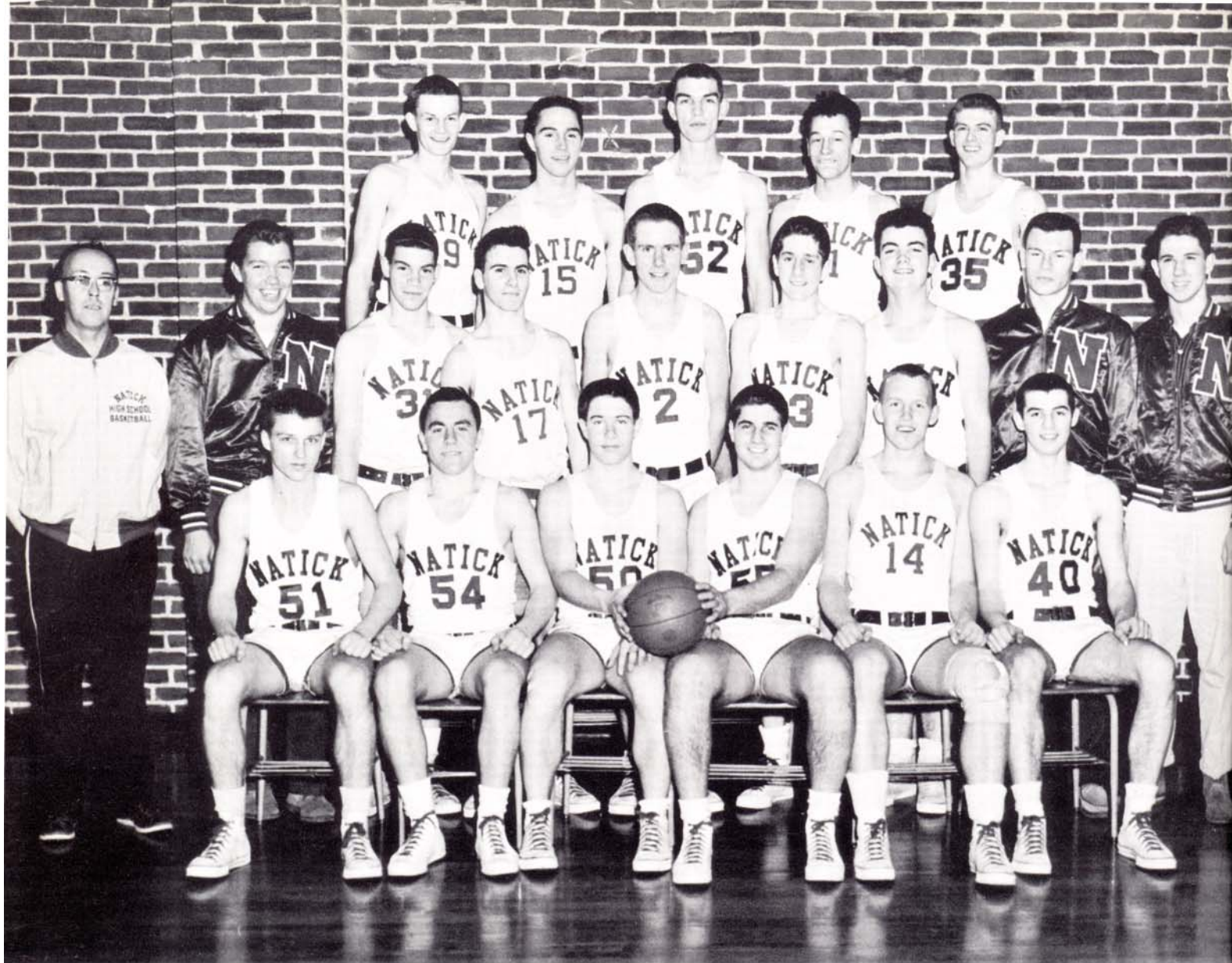


senior, Walter Hriniak, John McGilvary, Tim Donovan, and Ralph Doran were used a lot in the backfield.

Natick was high scorer for Massachusetts with 318 points and Jerry Hall was one of the state leaders with 110 points. John Dowst and Richard Powers were the capable and hard working senior managers.







#### VARSITY BASKETBALL

Front row: A. Ross, J. Stevens, A. Loane, R. Wells, R. Anderson, T. Argir. Second row: Coach F. Carey, Mgr. C. Jones, P. Sapanaro, R. Soby, J. Fahey, L. Megoliola, L. Richard, Mgr. Woish, R. Whittemore. Third row: R. Foster, R. Wall, R. Bemis, W. MacGregor, B. Peterson.

## VARSITY BASKETBALL

This year's basketball team was a credit to the school and to the untiring efforts of Coach Francis Carey. The team, which was picked by the experts to finish sixth in the league, surprised all by winning the Bay State League title. On the way to the laurels they defeated our arch-rival, Framingham, twice, losing only three games all season. All three were close games, and the season ended with an overwhelming victory over the Bay State League allstars.

This year's team lacked height, but won over bigger teams with their tremendous spirit and hustle. They succeeded in qualifying for the Tech Tourney, having one of the better records in Class B. Because of this Natick drew a first round in the quarter finals,





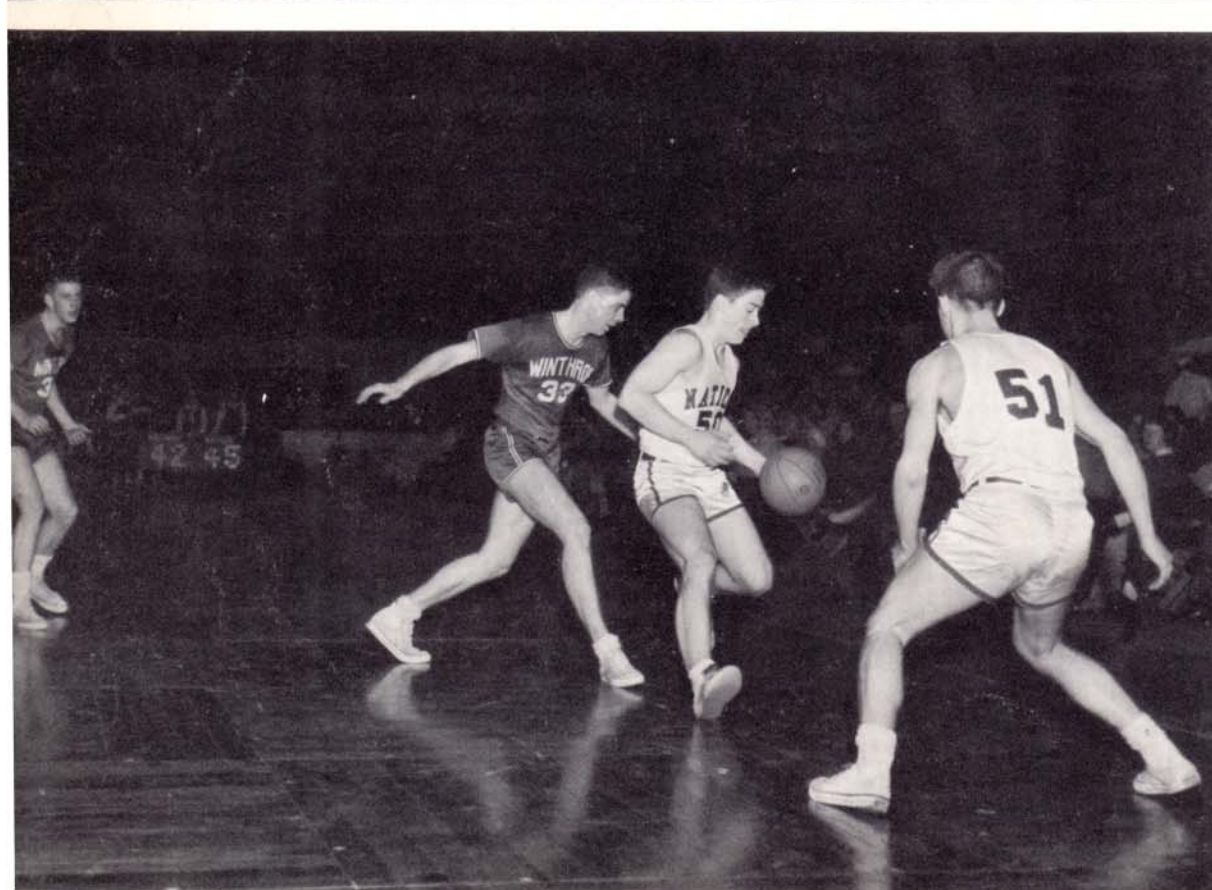
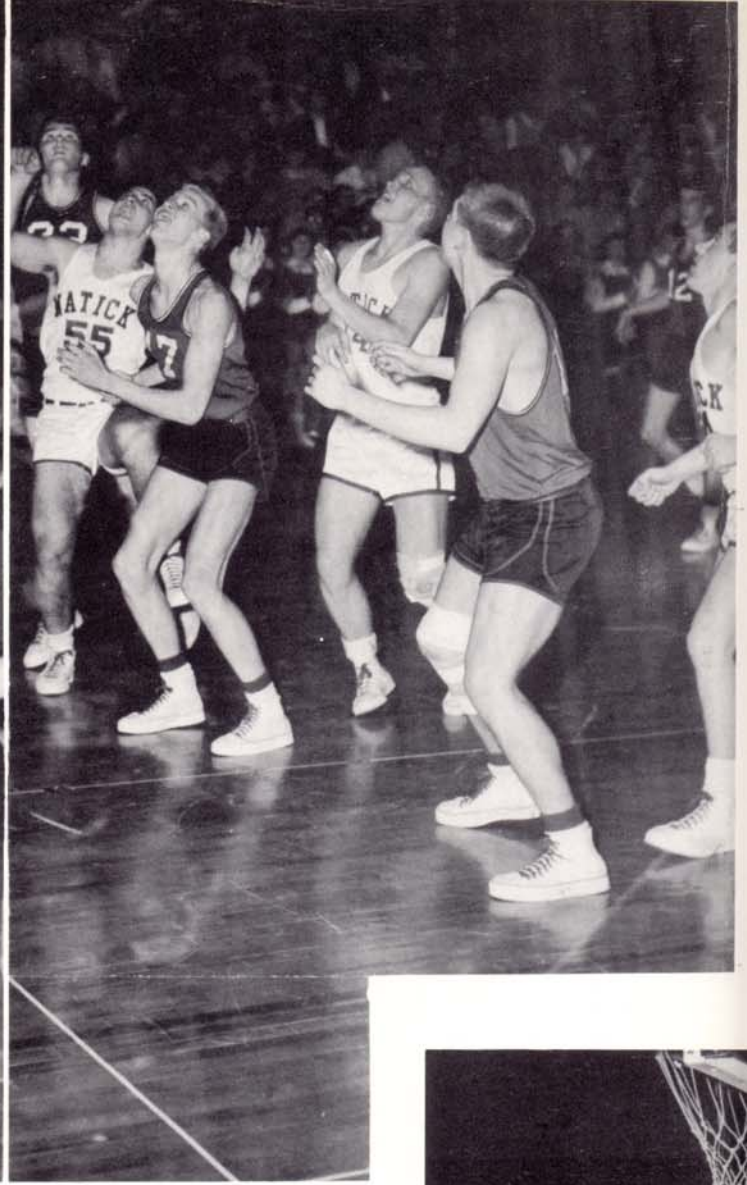
#### JV BASKETBALL

Front row: G. Palli, D. Leone, L. Doherty, W. Bell. Second row: Coach Charles Christi, G. Layton, D. Zicko, S. Haskell, G. Whitten, J. Themeli, B. Paul. Back row: J. Kwasek, G. Peterson, R. Blakeney, J. Barnicle, S. James.

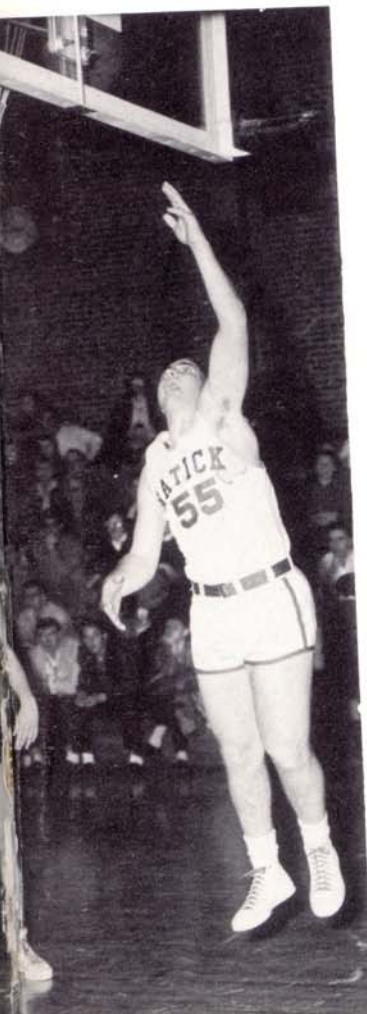
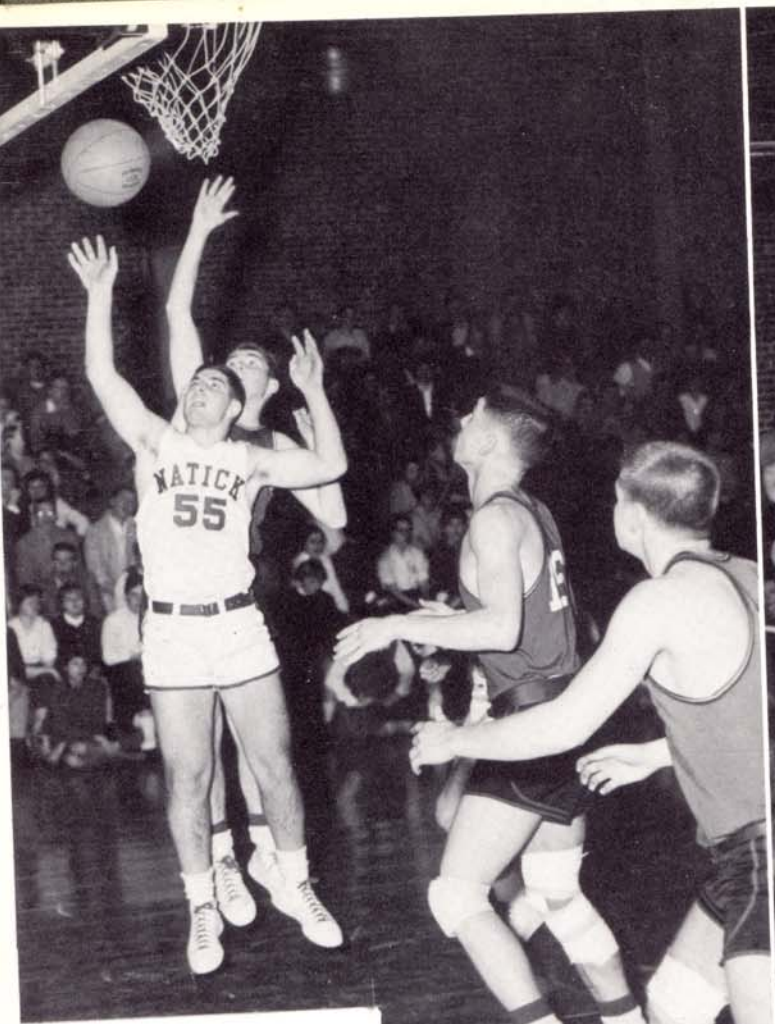
defeating Winthrop 66-60. In the semi-finals Belmont emerged the victor, but Natick went down fighting.

Alan Loane and Richard Wells did outstanding jobs as co-captains in leading their team to victory. Loane, one of the smaller players in size but not in ability, pleased many crowds with his all-around basketball ability and Dick Wells, one of the highest scorers in Natick history, led the Bay State League in scoring. Richard Anderson, Natick's tallest player was a dependable rebounder. John Stevens' continuous hustle was beneficial to the team, and he scored several baskets at climatic moments. Thomas Argir, the only junior on the team, added scoring punch. To back up a good team Coach Carey had a good bench led by Allan Ross and Joseph Fahey, supported by Bruce Peterson, Lee Richards and Richard Soby. The passing of Len Megliola and Paul Sapanaro baffled many opponents.













#### INDOOR TRACK

Front row: R. Voner, K. Barnes, B. Leavitt, L. Bartley, K. Poole, H. Jones, R. Wright, D. Brown, P. Callahan, H. Mingace. Second row: J. Slavin, R. Winters, R. Calzini, P. Read, J. Barnicle, J. Sheesgreen, J. Santamaria, T. Cotter, T. Moore, N. Sciacca, W. Por-

ter, Coach Whalen. Back row: F. Walker, D. Johnson, S. Higgins, J. Frazee, F. Hatch, P. Kolman, K. King, A. Wright, F. Walker, N. Bloomstein, R. Tripp.

#### INDOOR TRACK

This year's indoor track team, Coached by Mr. Robert Whalen, and captained by Hallett Jones, was a much better team than its record indicated. The meets that they lost could have given them wins. If they had scored nine points more during the season, they might have been undefeated. In the State Meet they finished in a tie for fourth place.

This team, with such mainstays as Captain Jones in the 600, Lynn Bartley in the shot put, Herb Mingace in the 50 yd. dash, Dick Wright and Paul Callahan in the hurdles, looked good from the start. The underclassmen Porter, Kolman, Walker, Winner, Frazee, Santa Maria and a host of other hard workers will be out in force to keep up the good reputation established by this year's group.







#### VARSITY HOCKEY

Front row: D. McGee, V. Capizzo, R. Curtis, J. Hall, D. Webb. Second row: Coach Bell, G. Gunrad, G. Mabardy, A. Hall, G. Capizzo, R. Blanchard, J. Kiley, W. Hriniak, J. Geneseo. Back row: R. Linton, M. Bruni, K. Gray, T. LoCasali, A. Pessini.

#### HOCKEY

This year's hockey team, captained by Vito Capizzo, won the Eastern Mass. League title, the second title to come to Natick in two years. Since this is the last year the league will exist, we are especially proud of our title. From now on Natick will be playing with the Bay State League.

The victory of this year's team came as a surprise to many who felt that Natick's ice prowess had ended. With a fine group of veterans like Capizzo, Webb, and Mabardy Natick had one of the best defensive lines in school boy hockey. Jerry Hall, Danny McGee,

and Ron Curtis were other seniors who turned in a fine performance.

Natick's only loss was a 1-0 decision to Wakefield early in the season. This was one of the finest-played games of the season.

In the State Tournament Natick defeated a strong Lynn English team 3 to 2. In the quarter finals we lost to a very strong Belmont team.

With Gilbert, Hriniack, Pessini, Capizzo and Linton returning Natick has the nucleus of another fine team.





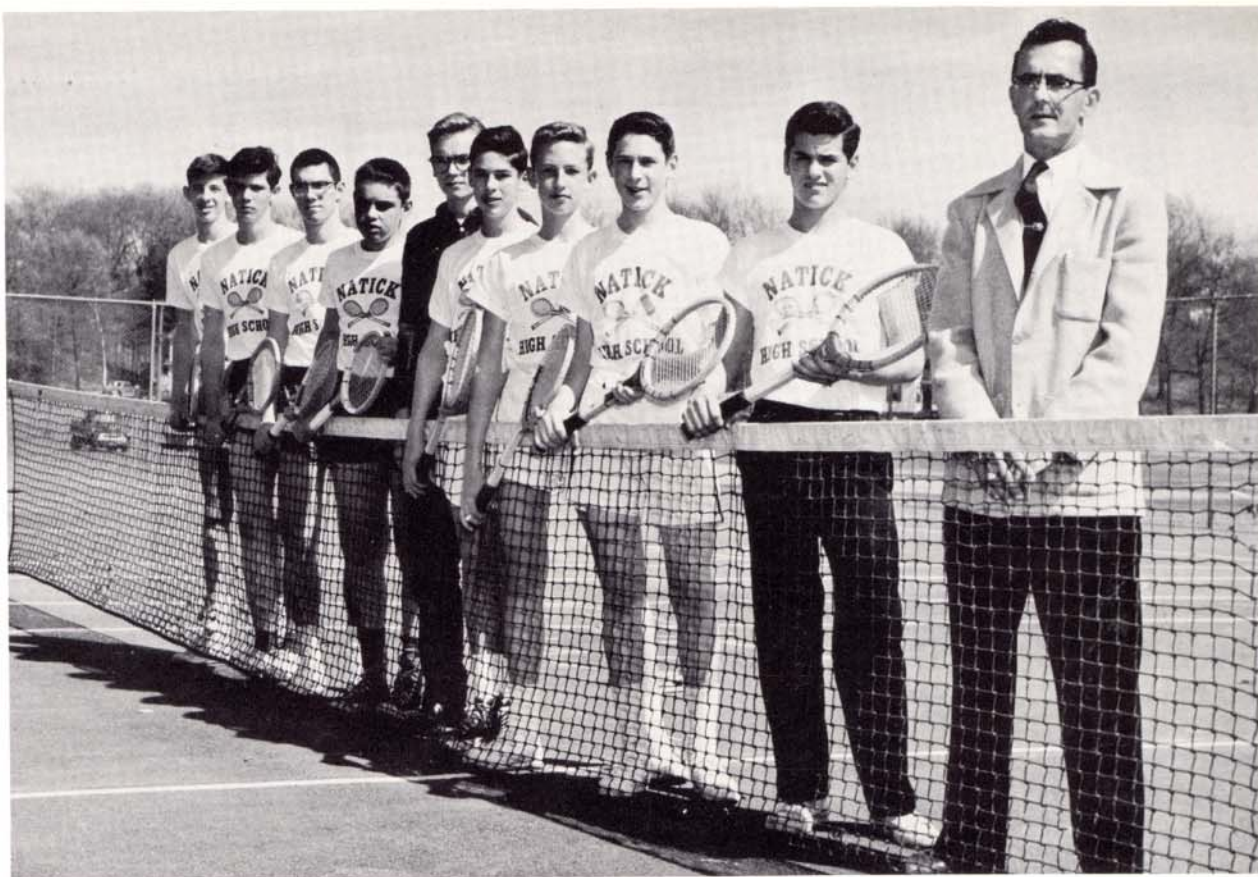












#### TENNIS

D. Brown, F. Hess, R. Cox, P. Jones, C. Howard, C. Hadden, R. Allison, N. Kaufman, A. Calzini, Coach Davoren.



#### GOLF

Mr. Bell, K. Hefron, R. Voner, D. Webb, R. Nelson, M. Wilson, H. Simcoe, J. Walsh.





#### BASEBALL

Front row: T. Donovan, B. Peterson, W. Hriniack, A. Loane, P. Callahan, R. Wells, A. Amoroso, R. Wall, H. Jones, Coach

Casey. Back row: J. Barnicle, S. Haskell, G. Peterson, C. Jones, R. Bleakney, T. Argir, B. Leavitt, D. Pettingill.



#### BASEBALL

The defending Bay State League Champions were supposed to have pitching difficulties, but as the season progressed this assumption proved wrong. Hallett Jones and Arnold Amoroso, the aces of the team, were consistent winners. A veteran infield with Dick Wells at first, Paul Callahan at second, Alan Loane at third, with Walt Hriniak, a sophomore as starter were a winning combination. The outfield with Tim Donovan, Bobby Wall and Brad Leavitt ranked with the best in the league. Behind the plate Bruce Peterson has done an outstanding job.

It is with regret we announce that our Coach, Eddie Casey, is leaving us to assume the position of vice-principal at the Coolidge Junior High School. We shall miss him, but we wish him every happiness and success in his new position.





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G.A.A. OFFICERS

Front row: M. Gray, A. Phinney, D. Mathews, B. Hunter. Back row: A. Stewart, J. Hammond, N. George, M. Mattson, J. Culcasi.





#### GIRLS' FIELD HOCKEY

Front row: J. Breda, S. Owens, B. Hunter, A. Phinney, Captain, K. O'Brien, M. Byrnes, J. Culcasi. Back row: M. Trundy, Mgr. M. Mitchell, M. Gray, M. Mattson, D. Mathews, A. Stewart, D. Hawkes, A. Griffin, Mgr.

#### GIRLS' VARSITY FIELD HOCKEY

The Natick High Field Hockey team, though not having the best of seasons, tried their hardest. Headed by captain Ann Phinney, the team had a record of one win, 2 losses and 2 ties.

Natick .....	0	Braintree .....	1
Natick .....	0	Wellesley .....	0
Natick .....	1	Dedham .....	0
Natick .....	1	Needham .....	1
Natick .....	0	Walpole .....	3

Won 1 — Lost 2 — Tied 2

#### JUNIOR VARSITY

The Natick High Junior Varsity Field Hockey team had many new recruits and in spite of many hardships, had a fairly good season.

Natick .....	0	Braintree .....	4
Natick .....	0	Wellesley .....	1
Natick .....	3	Dedham .....	2
Natick .....	1	Needham .....	1
Natick .....	0	Walpole .....	1

Won 1 — Lost 3 — Tied 1







GIRLS' VARSITY BASKETBALL

Front row: J. Breda, S. Skeans, C. Wood, E. Rierdon, P. Hubbard. Back row: J. Cella, P. Hersey, P. Kirby, J. Baxter, S. Owens.

### GIRLS' VARSITY BASKETBALL

The Natick High Girls' Varsity Basketball Team headed by captain and high-scorer Carol Wood, had themselves a fairly good year, winning 3 games and losing 4. The forwards, consisting of Carol Wood, Pat Kirby, June Breda, Judy Cella and Joyce Baxter, turned in a very good performance. Not to be outdone, the guards, consisting of Susie Owens, Sandy Skeans, Pat Hubbard, Pat Hersey and aided by newcomer Dea Reardon turned in an equally good performance.

Natick .....	42	Walpole .....	34
Natick .....	37	Ashland .....	41
Natick .....	44	Dedham .....	37
Natick .....	55	Framingham .....	60
Natick .....	37	Wellesley .....	49
Natick .....	32	Braintree .....	58
Natick .....	35	Needham .....	33
Won 3 — Lost 4			







### GIRLS' JUNIOR VARSITY BASKETBALL

The Natick High Girls' Junior Varsity Basketball team under co-captains Linda Merten and Linda Lonberger, had a fair year. Freona Marco, Linda Merten, Sandy Ghatti, Maurene Maffei, Carolyn Hasgill and Sue Smith as forwards turned in a fine performance. Linda Lonberger, Pam Miller, Sue Johnson, Dottie Matson, Margie Matson, and Betty Perry as guards matched the fine playing of their forwards by turning in an equally good performance.

Natick .....	5	Walpole .....	8
Natick .....	14	Ashland .....	22
Natick .....	16	Dedham .....	24
Natick .....	10	Framingham .....	31
Natick .....	19	Wellesley .....	16
Natick .....	8	Braintree .....	28
Natick .....	17	Needham .....	19

Won 1 — Lost 6







#### OUTDOOR TRACK

Front row: T. Anderson, S. Higgins, C. Winterson, P. Reirdan, L. Bartley, A. Parker, J. Hall, G. Williams, B. Schernig, J. Woish, R. Anderson, J. Barnicle, D. Johnson. Second row: R. Macomber, F. Hale, P. Read, J. Santamaria, H. Godden, D. Winner, P. Galvani, O. Bailey, R. Doran, C. Smith, D. Zicko, R. Szretta, R. Cal-

zini, R. Ottinger, A. Morgan, J. Faldetta. Back row: Coach Bennett, J. Ely, F. Walker, L. Harvie, K. Gray, J. Gilbert, P. Cunningham, A. Wright, H. Hennigar, P. Kolman, J. Frazee, R. Goulston, G. Whitten, E. Cavanaugh, N. Bloomstein, R. Pire, R. Tripp, A. Hall, Coach Whalen.

#### OUTDOOR TRACK

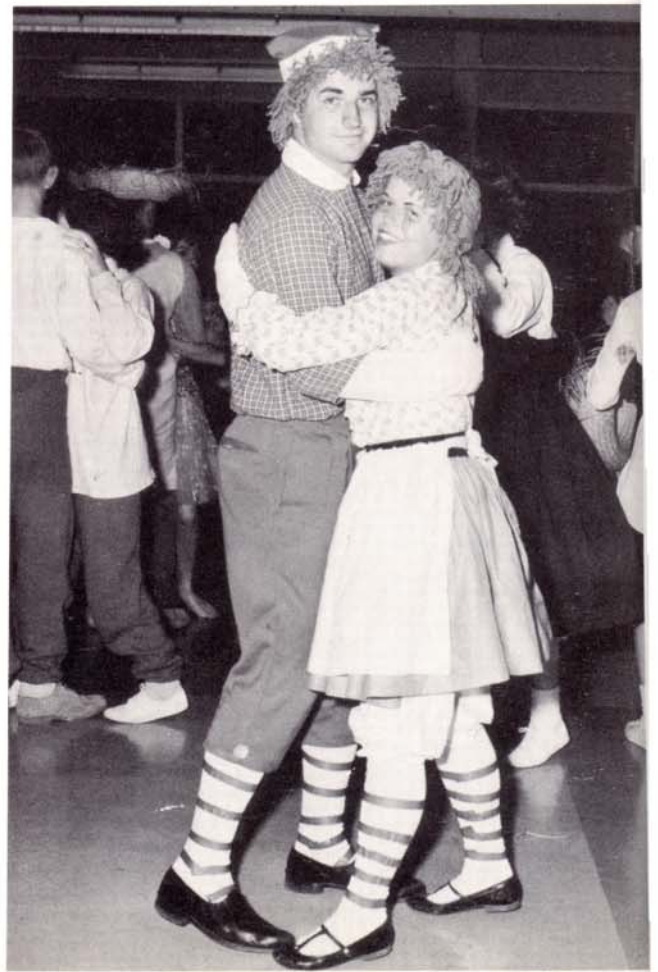
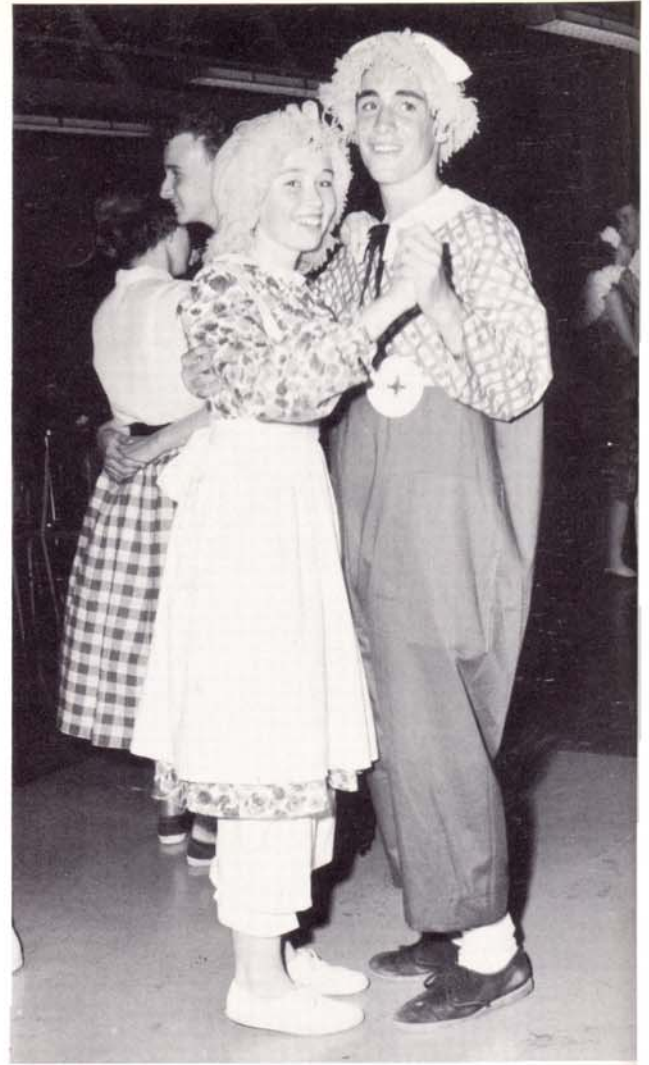
This year's outdoor track team, co-captained by Herb Mingace and Jerry Hall, had a fine balance of experienced runners. Herb has been a consistent point winner in the low hurdles, Jerry Hall in the 880, Walter Porter in the low hurdles, Bob Carroll and Dave Winner in the 100 yard dash and the 220 yard dash respectively. Dick Wright, a senior has been a dependable point scorer in the 440 and George Williams in the 220.

In the field events the team had an excellent trio of veterans, Dick Anderson, Lynn Bartley, Steve Higgins, Gary Whitten, and Captain-elect Paul Kolman.

After suffering defeats from Needham and Braintree, the team bounced back to defeat the remainder of their opponents. The outlook for next year is bright because of the many underclassmen coming up.











# SENIOR WEEK ACTIVITIES





RICHARD ANDERSON

PRESIDENT

CLASS OF 1959

WELCOME — CLASS DAY

Parents, Teachers, and Friends:

It is with pleasure that we, the Class of 1959, welcome you to these, our Class Day exercises. We are glad to have this opportunity to thank you for making possible the excellent education we have acquired during the past twelve years. This education will help us to make our way in the years to come. I am sure we shall be better citizens of tomorrow because of the advantages you have provided us.

WELCOME — CLASS DAY

Parents, Teachers, and Friends:

It is with pleasure that we welcome you to Natick High School and these Commencement Exercises. We wish to thank our parents, our teachers, and all those who have helped us attain our goal, our graduation from high school. You have completed your part; it remains for us to do ours. We must use this education wisely. We are confident that with your continued support we shall become progressive, responsible adults.





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## CLASS HISTORY

By

ANN STEWART

We, the class of 1959, have come to the end of our high school education. Before we leave these hallowed halls, let us review our four years at Natick High School.

Beginning with our freshman year we have always looked for students with qualities of leadership and responsibility for our class officers through the exciting, but serious business of campaigns and elections. We chose Richard Anderson, President; Julie Hersey, Vice President; Joanna Drowne, Secretary; and Temmy Siegel, Treasurer. We also elected our first Executive Board which was under the able leadership of our class advisors, Mrs. Gray and Mr. Colombo. As sophomores, we chose as our leaders, Allen Loane, President; John Stevens, Vice President; Karen Kugell, Secretary; and Judy Kinnear, Treasurer. Our junior class officers were Karen Moore, Nancy Sullivan, and Judy Kinnear. We realized the important responsibilities which our senior class officers would have and chose them wisely. When the ballots were counted, we had elected Richard Anderson, President; Sandra Chamberlain, Vice President; Karen Moore, Secretary; and Judy Kinnear, Treasurer.

Throughout our four years at Natick High our athletic teams have continued Natick's reputation as "the Home of Champions." Our freshman teams were very successful and showed great promise for the future. In our sophomore and junior years our boys played on the various junior varsity teams and helped them on to victorious seasons. The athletic accomplishments of our boys as seniors were many. The football team, under the direction of Coach Bennett and Captain Dean Webb enjoyed a successful season with only one loss and one tie. The basketball team, coached by Mr. Carey and captained by Allen Loane and Dick Wells, was one of the shortest in the league. Nevertheless, it won the Bay State League Championship and went on to play in the Tech Tourney. The hockey team, under Coach Bell and Captain Vito Capizzo, won the Eastern Massachusetts League Championship and went on to further competition in the State Tournament. Our track, baseball, tennis, and golf teams also worked very hard, and their victorious seasons were a credit to the school. The teams were helped on to victory by our talented and ambitious cheerleaders, captained by Jean Ghilani.

The scholastic achievements of members of our class have been as outstanding as our athletic achievements. In May of our junior year Geoffrey Belisle, David Brown, Patricia Harcourt, Irene Hillis, Nancy Hunt, Judy Kinnear, Elizabeth Lee, Alice Martin, Mary Pierce, Mary Purcell, Robert Robinson, Harold Wright, and Ann Stewart were elected to the National Honor Society. This is the largest group of juniors that has ever been elected. Two more groups of students were elected to the Honor Society as seniors. Nancy Hunt and Robert Robinson were finalists in the National Merit Scholarship examination, and Nancy Hunt, Mary Purcell, and Robert Robinson reached the finals in the examination for the National Honor Society Scholarships. Robert Robinson brought honors to our school and to our class by being one of the forty winners from all over the country in the Westinghouse Science Talent Search.

Members of our class have won many awards at Science

Fairs. In our junior year Karen Alice Moore and David Lehan won first prizes at our fair and went on to win prizes at the Massachusetts State Science Fair. Gail Phillips also went on to further competition in the Worcester Regional Fair. As seniors, Karen Alice Moore, Bunky Hunter, and Bruce Schernig participated in the Worcester Regional Fair. Gail Phillips and Ronald MacKenzie went on to the Massachusetts State Science Fair after winning first prizes at our fair.

The social activities which we have sponsored have been successful and unforgettable affairs. Our sophomore dance was a Spring Carnival at which Karen Moore was chosen carnival queen. During our junior year months of planning went into the Junior Prom-Senior Reception. The theme was "Seventh Heaven," and the many elaborate decorations included a golden gate and a rainbow with a pot of gold. As seniors we held the traditional Christmas Cotillion. We decided to establish the custom of crowning a queen of the cotillion, and our class was honored when Marilyn Mitchell was selected Yuletide Queen.

The dramatic presentations in which we have participated have been as successful as our social activities. Tryouts for the Senior Play, "Dear Ruth" began early in our senior year. The cast, including . . . Irene Hillis, Ronald MacKenzie, Simone LeRoux, Karen Kugell, Peter Ranney, Judith Mosman, Irwin Fischer, Mardell Pease, David Brown, and Richard Brown, was finally selected and began long hours of rehearsal under the direction of Mr. Garnett and Miss Heagney. The class got behind "Dear Ruth" when about one hundred and fifty of us paraded with umbrellas from the Common to the school to advertize the play. When "Dear Ruth" was presented in November, the praise was unanimous. Without a doubt our Senior Play was the most hilarious one ever presented at Natick High School.

In March of our Senior year many of us participated in Natick High's first musical comedy, "The Colonel Comes to Kansas." Members of our class in the musical included: Marilyn Mitchell, Barbara Montgomery, Nancy Hunt, Mary Pierce, Sandra Chamberlain, Roberta Rogers, David Brown, David Lehan, Beverly Ward, Patricia Harcourt, Peter Ranney. This new and different type of entertainment was well received by everyone.

During our junior and senior years several outstanding members of our class were chosen for special honors. Peggy Kilroy was elected to represent us at Girls' State, and George Williams and Richard Anderson were chosen to be our delegates to Boys' State. The D. A. R. Good Citizenship Award was won by Sandra Chamberlain, and Vito Capizzo was chosen to receive the Brotherhood Award. Our Good Government Committee, headed by Richard Anderson included Peggy Kilroy, Allen Loane, Vito Capizzo, James McClosky.

Our high school years are drawing to a close. With the passage of the long-awaited Senior Week we approach the most important event in our lives thus far — our high school graduation. We are going on to further education, to the business world, or to make our own homes, but we shall never forget our four years at Natick High School.



## CLASS PROPHECY

By

NANCY HUNT, MARY PIERCE  
AND DAVID BROWN



"Yes, it was tragic. He was only two years old, you know. She's really broken-hearted. Oh! Excuse me. We didn't mean to leave you in the dark. You see, one of the most famous zoologists, Nancy Hunt, has just lost her dearest possession, her pet platypus. We, David Brown, Nancy's psychoanalyst, and Mary Pierce, her chief chemist in search for the "Philosopher's Stone", are letting Nancy write about a trip she is going to take to attempt to fill the abyss left by her pet's untimely departure."

Boston, hub of New England, is the center of art and learning in the northeastern part of the United States. As such, I feel it is a good place to start an extensive trip in search for a lost part of my heart. The business district first caught our interest (I'm traveling with two very dear friends) and whom do we discover but an old school friend, Richard Casaly, now president of the John Hancock Insurance Company. His private secretary, Judy Buckler, knowing of my condition, very kindly gave us three tickets to the ballet starring the world famous, Debra Greenberg. On the way to the ballet, we have a slight accident with a taxi driven by former racer, Kevin Keane. His passengers are none other than the stars of the opera for this evening, Marilyn Anderson and Andy Parker (they've changed their names, of course.) Since there is some damage from the crash, we have to have some minor repairs. The mechanics in Ray's Garage (Ray Kent, that is) are Richard Reynolds and Fred Munro. Fred says that Madeline Barnicle, is now a hair stylist in Jane Hammond's exclusive beauty salon. Jane's three other stylists are Gloria Jones, Lois Cohen, and the fabulous Ken Barnes, made famous by his "flying swoop" creation. Oh! The car is ready! Well, off to the ballet!

We finally reach the theater without any more detours, and, fortunately, we are not late. Look, there's Ronald Zicko! He's an usher. Here comes Richard Wright. Is he going to talk to us? Yes. He tells us that he is now the president of the Write Right Pen Company, and his vice president is Robert Thompson. We can't talk long; the ballet is about to start . . .

What? Intermission already? There's Barb Simons. You know, she teaches the second grade in the same school where Cathy Quirk teaches music. Funny, a lot of the girls have become teachers. Peggy Trundy, Mary Knowles, and Janice Wignot teach high school, and Cynthia Wilburger, Suzanne Winner, Margaret Stromberg, Virginia Brown, Judy Malone, and Pat Kirby teach the elementary grades. Some of the boys became gym teachers: Robert Shaffer, Daniel Bellefontaine, Dan Campbell, and Clifford Stone. I never would have thought it. Oh, intermission is over . . .

Well, last night was lovely. Debbie certainly has made a name for herself. Now we are on our way to the world amateur tennis championship matches where both Frank Hess and Joe Vay are trying for the cup. We're taking the bus because we are still a little shaken up over our accident last night. Say, isn't our bus driver Frank Walton? Oh, here we are. What a crowd! Look, there are three empty seats beside . . . Judy Davis, world famous Chinese auctioneer, and Natalie Fernald, vice president of the Fernald Furnace Company (her father is still president). Two rows behind us are a small group of WAVE's, Sheila Sullivan, Anna Thompson, Mary Travaglini, Jane Roberts, Helen McLaughlin, and Jean Tessier. My, haven't they got chic uniforms.

We heard today that Richard Anderson is in Boston on his presidential campaign. His chief engineer (train, that is) is Ronald Savilonis whose right-hand man is George Westcott. With him are traveling the candidates for Secretary of State, Paul Saponaro; Secretary of Defense, Kenneth Sheldon; and the recently-elected Governor of Massachusetts, Robert Wallace. Thomas Young, campaign manager, asks us if we would like to go along on the campaign. Naturally, we accept and begin following Richard Anderson on his cross-country campaign for the presidency of the State of Happiness. Traveling with him is his publicity agent, Gretchen Polhemus. Famed meteorologists, Barry Anderson and David Lehan, travel with the train to predict the weather so candidate Anderson's wife will not ruin her new hat. Commencing his whistle-stop campaign in Boston, he is greeted by crowds of old friends — among them Tim Anderson, Harvard University Professor of Comparative Analysis; Dr. Robert Robinson, research physicist; Marcia Burke, olympic ski champ; Sandy Chamberlain, head nurse at Mass. General; John Dowst, Vice president of Liberty Mutual; Robert Franciose, builder of the new Boston sewer system; Diane Montgomery, banker; James Pickering, manufacturer of Guber Pickles; Aldo Pagliarulo, vice president of Slumberland Mattress Company; and Janet Murphy, his secretary.

His next stop is Natick, the old home town. From the high school come Sandra Skeans, math teacher, and Ann Phinney, gym instructor. Carol Savilonis, secretary to the principal, brings his felicitations. Ronald Muise, director of the B. B. Band, meets him at the station. Richard Nelson, car salesman, lends Dick a Cadillac for the day. He visits the Friendly Grill to pass out campaign stickers to Sheldon Langmead, Leonard Megliola, John Wall, Peter Bell, and Ronald Curtis.

Traveling westward, the Anderson train reaches New York. While touring the city, we find Karen Kugell, outfitted with beret and pink poodle, the newly-elected mayor of Greenwich Village; Charles Jones, top-notch sportscaster drops in on his way to Florida to report on spring training. Jim Andrews comes to call — we notice that he has come up in the world — he is now Police Chief of New York City. Dick stops at the French Embassy to see Mary Purcell, and hears that Dave Buckingham, gentleman farmer from Virginia, has just left for Paris. We visit the Bronx gym and find Tom Balducci refereeing a wrestling match, Jim Fallon lifting weights, and Russell Barber taking a steam bath.

That evening, we decided to patronize the arts. At the opera, June Breda is performing; Diann Uhlin is dancing at Carnegie Hall; Barbara Montgomery is playing a concert in Town Hall; Pete Ranney stars in another picture at the Roxy where he gets all the girls. We choose the theater, and there we see fashionable Peggy Burt, wife of the governor of New York. Leaving the theater, we nearly knock the top hat off the head of Boyd Edmonston, U. S. Ambassador to Saudi Arabia. Boyd tells us that tomorrow he leaves for a diplomatic tour of Western Europe. He invites us to accompany him. We accept.

After saying goodbye to the folks back home via Vito Capizzo's Early Morning Show, T. V. of course, we proceed to Idlewild. Imagine our surprise when we realized that our lovely stewardess is none other than Linda Bremner, and that our pilot is Ken Poole, whom we remember for his earlier flying.





Across the aisle and down two seats we recognize Pat Hubbard, the well-known fashion model. Pat tells us she is traveling to Paris to see Kris Kerr, world famous couturiere. Our flight is relatively uneventful. Boyd is met in London by Harold Roey, expert on Russian affairs, and Irwin Fischer of the foreign service, who will serve as Boyd's advisors.

We bid the three a hasty good-bye and nearly run smack into Don Bergonzone, Paul Callahan, Jim (Bub) Condlin, and Dick Donovan who all look like generals in their service uniforms.

As we tour London, we see the sign of Richard Brown, C.P.A. Down by the Thames, Paul "Smily" Rogers is fishing from London Bridge. Looking up, we notice Alfred Byrnes repairing Big Ben. Sea captain Steve Crampton guides his ship toward the Channel. We're almost late for our ride. The crossing is fine, and, much to our pleasure, we discover Sandy Buswell, secretary to the Parisian exporter, returning from an errand which took her to England. We arrive in Paris in time to use the tickets Boyd gave us to see Pat Harcourt, who teaches in a French elementary school in the daytime, dance at the Folies Bergere. Afterwards, we stop for a four course snack at Chez Simone (restaurant of the inimitable Simone LeRoux). There we see Keith Gould, Lynn Bartley, and Harold Wright stuffing themselves with goodies francais. Jim Teague, famous hot-rodder, has retired to the position of Paris taxi driver. Since we recognize him, we give him an extra big tip.

Bright and early the next morning, we leave by train for Geneva, Switzerland, home of exiles and anarchists. Rod Wallace, famous philosopher, greets us at the station. He tells us of an international ski meet near Geneva, in which Bruce Schernig and Dick Halberg are favorites to win prizes. An exciting moment comes when Pat Arena falls down the ski slope and Alvin MacKenzie, doctor who vacations yearly in Geneva, rushes to her assistance.

Jim Bradford, American advisor to the Swiss Navy, put in an appearance at the ski meet and Wes Peoples, sports car designer, showed up for a while. Dick "Pug" Powers came running up, out of breath, waving his world champion's poker trophy and green eye shade. Dick has taken time from his busy schedule at Cal Tech as a theoretical mathematician. We ask him to join us on a jaunt to Italy. He agrees; on condition that we travel back to California with him.

On the flight to Rome, Gloria Brown is our hospitable hostess. At the airport, we are met by John Calzini, customs agent. First of all we are hungry, so we go to Pierro's Pizza Place, and who feeds us but Cyn and Gige. Frank Indelicato is a waiter, while Laura Sanborn is a waitress. Strolling through St. Peter's square, we see Diane Campisi, designer, and her models, Linda Torti and Toni McKeen, followed by Dick Soby, world famous casanova. We find that Carol Bellefatto has invented several new devices: one for drilling holes in macaroni and another for twisting spaghetti.

After eating our fill, Pug shepherds us onto a California-bound jet clipper, and in no time we arrived at San Francisco. First thing we hear from Dick Wells is that he is playing baseball for the San Francisco Giants. He introduces us to an old friend, Christy Adams, an elementary school gym instructor. At a baseball game, blushing Brad Leavitt, first baseman for the Milwaukee Braves, wags to us from the infield. Sitting in boxes near ours, we spy Jeff Belisle, educational advisor to the governor of California, and sports reporter, Dick Cox.

Traveling towards China Town, we pass a building with a sign which exhibits a familiar name — Danny McGee,

lawyer. On leave from the Navy in China Town, we see admiral-of-the-fleet, Charles LePage, and crew, Lee Curtis, Paul Kelly, Dennis Lawless, and Richard Voner.

Anthony "Butch" Stromberg, barber to the stars, Dean Webb, coach of the San Francisco '49 ers, and George Williams, president of Columbia Pictures, are some of the celebrities we meet in San Francisco. George invites us to visit his studios in Hollywood. There we meet Maureen Bliss, wardrobe mistress for many famous actresses, Kathy Owens, and Kathy O'Brien, make-up directors for Columbia Studios, and Mardell Pease, character actress.

Wandering through a set for the musical "The Colonel Comes to Kansas" (which they finally took to Hollywood), we meet Dick Stanley, camera man, and Marilyn Mitchell, who was asked to star in the movie as well as the stage play. Allen Ross portrays the genial farm hand. Lorraine Mitchell and Bev Long design sets for the production.

We pay one last visit to Pug at Cal Tech. There we find Jim Walters, consultant to business firms bothered by smog, and Russ Whittemore, electrical engineer.

Saying good-bye to Pug, we leave for Detroit, to purchase a new car. Leslie Davis, secretary to John Boyington, president of General Motors, takes us for a spin in a new '84 Cadillac. We nearly run over John Soule and Ronald Therieau, firemen in a hurry. Back at the showroom, Ray Stackpole and Ralph Williams tune up the car for the next customer. John Woish has an establishment down the street — The Woishing Car Wash. We imagine he must make a mint.

For entertainment that evening, we attend the Detroit Tigers baseball game to see Hallett "Scoop" Jones pitch. We hear that John Stevens is playing football for the Detroit Lions. Natick has enriched the sports world by giving it additional champions.

To the nursing profession, Natick has made many contributions: Lynn Woods, Jean Holland, Irene Hillis, Ann Bryan, Mary Grady, Lorrilyn Sellar, Marie Raftery, and Judy Hicks, Alice Ward, lab technician, assists Bill Hawkes, a naturalist at the University of Michigan. We hear that at the Great Lakes Army Base there are Doug Dunn, Charlie Fritz, Bill Gour, Peter Horning, John Kenney, and Roland Morris.

Driving back towards Boston, we stop at Monmouth, Illinois, where we find Ann Stewart busily administrating affairs at her alma mater. In a nearby community, Nancy Sullivan teaches school.

After spending two wonderful days in Monmouth, we leave once more. In Philadelphia, we stop in at the American Bandstand show to see that famous disc jockey, Joe Fahey. The show is quite exciting, especially when the biggest singing group in the nation drop in to sing their latest hit "Sunset on Sturn". The group consists of Pat Morgan, Linda Lee, Charlene Pinkham, Carol Hackett, and Judy Mosman. We spend the evening at the beautiful Macabo where the fabulous comedian Robert Roth is breaking all records. We understand his managers Charlie Winterson and Bill Whelan are having a hard time keeping night club owners away — everyone wants Bob.

The trip from Philadelphia to New York took only a few hours, and we finally arrive in New York City. The town has been buzzing about the great new hit comedy by Fred Rogers entitled "Who Has To Be Shot" adapted from Vladimick Liene's last book "What Has To Be Done". The part of Vladimick is played by Larry McCarthy who does a superb job. After the show, we rushed back stage to meet the cast and we find that the director of the play was none other than Jim Mc-





Closky; publicity was handled by Anne Hassard. We learned that Jim has just returned from Hollywood where he directed the Academy Award winner, "You Bet You Owe Me Money", starring the wonderful Mary Morrill and Dick Lofgren.

After pushing our way out of the theater, we decide to see the New York Ranger-Boston Bruin Hockey game. Jim Linton, we hear, is the outstanding scorer and Jerry Hall is making the headlines as one of the great defensemen in the league.

The morning following the hockey game, we go sight-seeing. The windows at Macy's are beautifully decorated and there in the window, adding a few last touches, is Donna Pryor. Her boss, Bruce Peterson, motions for us to come in and shows us through his office. His two private secretaries, Eileen O'Connell and Diane Dixon, wave to us as we go by.

We manage to see the spring fashion show before we leave and there is the beautiful Carol Bellefontaine modeling a new Edwina Mallek suit. The vice president of Macy's Judy Kinnear, invites us to lunch at the exclusive restaurant run by Virginia Hines. After a scrumptious French meal, we leave for the New York Museum of Art. A wonderful demonstration by the internationally known artist, Gail Phillips, was going on. At the museum, we see two of the great automobile men in the nation, Ronald (General Motors) Harlow and his assistant vice president, David Hughes. As we are going out, we see a crowd around some person. Yes, why it's Barbara Ligon, the great Metropolitan Opera Star! Watch out, Mary, oh — no! She trips over a roller skate. We take her to Mercy General Hospital. She is well cared for by nurses Stephanie Martin and Elizabeth Lee. After a few hours we leave the hospital for New York University to hear a lecture by the prominent economist Robert Graham.

On our way through the math wing of the university, we see professor Peggy Kilroy giving a lecture in trigonometry. In the next room Dr. Karen Alice Moore is teaching a class in integral calculus. We learn from Dr. Moore that the faculty chief gym instructor at the women's school is Beverly "Bunky" Hunter. The president of the university, Herbert Mingace, shows us the laboratory and who do you think is giving a lecture? Dr. Ronald Oldfield.

From New York University, we go to Idlewild airport for our plane to Boston. Flight 810 for Boston is ready to take off. We have to hurry! The pilot for our flight is William Egan, and co-pilot is Bill Curtis. We talk over old times with them and then board the plane. The stewardess Carol Hawkins sees to it that we fasten our safety belts, and — we are off. Sitting behind us are three favorite singers of the day, Georgene Knott, Doris Henry, and Janice Bitzer. They tell us that business is wonderful. While they were appearing in Florida,

they heard that Allen Loane and Lee Richards were showing the baseball world what good rookies could do.

We are shown around the plane and learn that our navigator is Phil Rierdan, and the chef is Warren Mason. As we move back to our seats, we recognize Joe McDonald, the famous jockey. He is going to be in the Kentucky Derby this year. Music begins to flow over the P. A. system and we recognize Karen Alger Moore. She was voted the most popular women singer last year. In the front seat we discovered a great actress of the day, Roberta Rogers. She told us to watch for a new movie "When the Chips Are Down" starring Cynthia Paul. It is a satire on Las Vegas gambling. She also told us to watch out for a new star Pat McClosky who is making her debut in the picture.

Right behind Roberta, we see Karen Loomis who is the head buyer for Jordan Marsh. She is sitting with her assistant, Beverly Clark. They are returning from a trip to San Francisco where they vied for a contract with a number of companies, one of which was Gilchrist's of Texas. Paul Gilchrist is the president down there and his vice president, Susan Johnson. Chief dress designer is Carol Coan.

We hear on the radio that a fire has broken out in Hartford, Conn. Fire chief Ronald Graham and his staff, Paul Gelly and Joseph Geneseo, with their crew of 250 men battled the blaze for eleven hours . . . Jo Drowne, an elementary school teacher from Boston, has won a \$100,000,000 contest.

As we took a nap in the afternoon, someone tapped Mary on the shoulder. It was Alice Martin, who had been vacationing in Miami with her assistant, Diane Heseck. She is currently an executive for Ann Starr's of Boston. She tells us that Mary Daly and Diane DeCosta help her, while Theresa Gately runs the Waltham store. It is just announced that we are having trouble with our right engine and we must land in Hartford.

After landing, we find that there will be a four hour delay. Well, we might as well eat. Alden Nelson owns a supper club and is kind enough to serve us personally. He tells us that Mary Johnson and Jean Ghilani have combined talent, and set up a dancing school. Two of the teachers are Jackie Higgins and Ruthann Meagher. We talk a while longer and then realize that the four hours are almost up. We must leave for the plane.

Upon our return, we see that the Hartford police chief, George Lambert, and the district attorney, George Mabardy, have come aboard. They tell us they are going to Boston for the New England Conference for the Prevention of Crime. The president of the conference is Ed Lombard. We chat for a while and then see the blue light on the John Hancock Building. We are home!!! My goodness — I must try to get a new Platypus.





By

Robert Robinson

In America, when we think of education, we usually think of a preparation for a career, attending school for a certain length of time, and doing the prescribed assignments. The important part of education, however, is not the body of knowledge one attains, but how one learns to think about this body of knowledge.

A man who is well educated in the narrow sense of the word, and has a large store of knowledge at his disposal, cannot use his knowledge if he does not know how to think. He is no more useful than a tape recorder. The ability to think constructively involves relating one's knowledge to the events and situations that occur around him.

The thinking individual is the only truly creative individual. Only a truly creative individual can contribute anything new, even in the context of older methods or ideas.

Also, one must be able to think creatively in order to live, rather than merely exist. One can exist with a certain amount of food, water, air, and shelter. To live, however, one must be alert to what is around him. One must look deeper into his surroundings than a camera can, and try to understand what is going on.

Thinking is an ability that comes only with long practice. It is an ability which needs to be encouraged by an individual's parents, teachers, and society, and by the individual himself.

Education is not, I think, supported enough by the public. Too many people score the man who teaches, reads, enjoys learning. In America there is no widespread respect for the well-educated individual, no generally recognized place in society for him.

There is no general love of knowledge for the sake of knowledge, rather than for the sake of results. Many parents are less interested in what their sons and daughters have learned in school than in what grades they received.

Also, the public has no desire to understand a thing once it can be controlled. Not many people are curious about how their car battery works, as long as it starts the car in the morning.

Atomic weapons, on the other hand, are a good example of an invention which we think we control, because we can produce it. Our control is only superficial, however, because not enough people understand the implications of their use. Atomic weapons stand as a threat to the whole of society, because of the ignorance of a great part of society.

The present shortage of scientists and technicians is an excellent example of popular misconception of education. The U. S. has never been outstanding in the field of basic

research. We have had good engineers, though we need more right now, but the emphasis on practicality has kept our contribution in pure science to a minimum. Most of the outstanding figures in basic research, even recently, have been from Europe. Now we find ourselves in a struggle with the U. S. S. R. to produce our own science.

Recently a lag in technology, in the field of missiles, brought public attention to bear on the need for more scientists. There is a clamor for quick results which betrays the ignorance on the part of the public of the nature of the problem. First of all, what is needed are creative scientists, who can produce new things and new ideas. A creative scientist must have an environment conducive to creative activity. A love of knowledge for its own sake, and a definite respect for good scientists and for good artists are parts of the ideal environment.

The demand for quick results is self-defeating. If only those aspects of education and research which promise quick returns are supported, no work will be done on new ideas. To be new, an idea must be unknown; its potential value is of necessity unknown until it is investigated. The unknown must be investigated if there is to be progress.

Learning to think is as important to the scientist's ability to produce useful results as it is to any man's ability to live. One of the things that distinguishes a creative scientist from a technician is that the technician can be produced by the American method of mass production if necessary. Russia has exhibited the possibility of such a course quite graphically. A creative scientist, on the other hand, must have the proper general atmosphere. The subject matter of the education of a successful scientist does not by any means consist entirely of mathematics and the science of his concentration. The most productive scientists are, in fact, those who have had extensive contact with the humanities. A thinker cannot consider only a part of his environment in isolation from the rest. A thinker must consider the whole environment. A scientist cannot be familiar only with his specialty or his thinking will lack scope. An artist cannot be totally ignorant of science, or his art will lack the force of being based on reality.

To be a true thinker, the scientist, the artist, the statesman, the businessman, must be aware of what is being done in areas seemingly unrelated to his individual interests. Our educational system must produce men competent in their own fields, and at the same time more of the broad context which makes their work meaningful.

Robert Robinson



## CLASS WILL

By

MARCIA BURKE



We, the illustrious Class of 1959, whose world-shaking accomplishments, unsurpassed spirit, and renowned scholastic achievements unquestionably make us the most distinguished class ever to graduate from Natick High, do leave this our Last Will and Testament.

To Mr. Hennigar and Mr. Bartnick, we leave our hearty congratulations for having most successfully completed their first year as our new principal and vice-principal.

To our advisors, Mrs. Gray and Mr. Columbo, we leave our appreciation for all their kind encouragement, and we are glad they were the ones fortunate enough to have us to advise.

To Miss Shannon, we leave four life-sized robots to lug around the huge stacks of Senior English workbooks just before college-boards time.

To Miss Hamm, we leave the book, "How to Repair a Recording Machine" (tout en francais.)

To Mr. Francis Carey, we leave hopes for some unprejudiced referees with glasses.

To Miss Nutt, we leave our sincere thanks for her never-ending kindness and understanding, especially around report card time.

To Mr. Bachini and Mr. LoPresti, we leave each a pair of thick ear-muffs which they will probably find very useful inside the school.

To Mr. Garnett, we leave the never-to-be-forgotten privilege of directing our extremely talented cast of our great Senior Play.

To Miss Hope, we leave a giant-sized watering can for her plants, so that she won't have to make more than one trip a week.

To Mr. Cronan, we leave a large box of free coupons for as many ice-cream sandwiches as he could ever wish for.

To Mr. Shea, we leave a new insurance policy for his car.

To the honorable Honor Society, we leave a game of three-dimensional tic-tac-toe for much-needed brain exercise.

To the Juniors, we leave the long-awaited privilege of being respected by all, especially when it comes to sneaking into the lunch line.

To the Sophomores, we leave our special permission

to say in assemblies and rallies, the outstanding name of John Woish-sh-sh!!

To the Freshmen, we leave this encouraging thought: that in only 1,095 days, you, too, will graduate!

I, Dean Webb, leave my ability to charm the feminine population of Natick High, with smiles and wiles, to Sandy Wilson.

I, Mary Purcell, leave my king-sized Renault, to Jon Padover, another mad bomber.

I, David Lehan, leave my crystal ball and carbon-copy paper for forecasting the weather, to Bob Stacy, another very accurate prophet.

I, Georgine Knott, leave my famous pony tail to anyone who likes to horse around.

I, Dave Buckingham, leave my ability to give Mr. LoPresti a hard time, to Tom Stewart.

We, Eileen O'Connell and Linda Torti, leave our positions as Mr. Plausse's secretaries, and the name "Skinny Minny" to anyone daring enough to take them.

I, Ann Stewart, leave my book, "100 Ways to Style Your Hair," to Durrie Mathews.

We, Geoffrey Belisle and Allan Ross, leave our easy-going manner to anyone who worries too much.

I, Virginia Hines, leave my 57 kinds to my brother, Larry Hines.

I, Richie Anderson, leave my position as president of Mr. Shea's fan club, to the "intellectual elite of the decadent underclassmen."

We, Peggy Kilroy and Lynne Woods, leave our book "Guide for Cadet 'Drags'" to Charlotte Lauro.

I, Christy Adams, leave my very friendly personality to John McGilvray.

I, Judy Mosman, leave to Mr. Columbo, an autographed picture of one of my less shy actions in the Senior Play.

We, Margie and Butch Stromberg, leave our detention slips for being late, to anyone who would like a few after-school studies.

I, Jane Lucy Hammond, leave my famous sweatshirt, my most prized possession, to Kathy Hand.

I, Harold Wright, leave my dashing high-top boots and my glittering baton to Mr. LoPresti.

I, Judy Kinnear, leave my famous laugh to Pat



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Schavone, in the hopes that she will get a laugh out of it.

I, Bunky Hunter, leave my innumerable harrowing experiences to a certain crazy Junior girl who usually gets me into them.

I, Danny McGee, leave my unsurpassed Ivy League look to anyone who wants to look like me.

We, the Senior Six, Sandy Chamberlain, Mary Pierce, Nancy Sullivan, Mardell Pease, Kris Kerr, and Marcia Burke, leave to the Junior Jills, the earnest hope that someday, they will be almost as great as we are.

I, Judy Davis, leave my Chinese Auction to anyone who can figure out what it is.

I, Bill Hawkes, leave my broken convertible top to anyone who thinks he can fix it.

I, Bruce Schernig, leave my cool trumpet jazz to Sandy Jansson, who really digs it.

I, Jo Drowne, leave with a certain Senior boy.

We, the members of the F period International class, leave our endless supply of life-savers to next year's F period International class.

We, Diane Montgomery and Diana DeCosta, leave the duty of watching over two certain Junior boys, to Sandy Jacobs and Janice Huggard.

I, George Williams, leave my "pro" ad-libbing ability in assemblies, to next year's ring-master.

We, the Jones boys, Charlie and Scoop, leave our encouragement to anyone who wants to catch up with us Joneses.

I, Dick Cox, leave my dirty white bucks and broken shoe-laces to Richard Cox, who'd better keep up the good name.

We, Judy Hicks and Doris Henry, leave the art of keeping up a steady conversation during X period studies to Linda Fredrickson and Claire Goldrick.

I, Jim Bradford, leave to the Junior Class all the trials and tribulations of trying to graduate.

We, the Senior members of the Culture Vultures, Boyd Edmonston, Karen Kugell, Nancy Hunt, and Dick Cox, leave

all our vast cultural knowledge to the Junior members, Peter Garland and Peggy Luttrell.

I, Dick Wells, leave the 42 comic books left to me by Artie Williams, to Dennis Drugan.

I, John Boyington, leave my Oldsmobile-powered Merc to anyone who can catch it.

I, Ronald Harlow, will hold John Boyinton to his promise, because my Olds-powered Merc will walk all over his.

I, Vito Capizzo, leave my renowned accent to my brother, Gus.

I, Rob Robinson, leave my patent for the most modern interplanetary missiles, to John Hanson.

We, Jeanne Terrier, Carol Savilonis, Beverly Clark, Judy Malone and many other members of our class, leave a paint brush and paints to the Loring Studio.

I, Ronald MacKenzie, leave all my "Mad" magazines to anyone mad enough to take them.

I, Peggy Burt, leave my beautiful car "Gunion 111" to Patty Smith, and hope she can get it to go up hills.

We, Pete Ranney, Fred Rogers, and Dick Brown, leave for the moon.

I, Joe Fahey, leave nothing, because I need it all myself.

We, the Senior Cheerleaders, Peggy Kilroy, Jean Ghalani, Pat Morgan, Carol Hawkins, Charlene Pinkham, and Diane Campizi, leave our hoarse voices to next year's basketball team. (We know they'll appreciate this.)

I, Russ Whittemore, leave my duty as score-keeper to Roger Winters, who can't count either.

In closing, this is the statement of a typical Senior:

I, Jim Fallon, leave the school, to Mr. Hennigar. In witness, whereof, we, the members of the Class of 1959, have set our hand and seal hereto this fifth day of June in the year of Our Lord one thousand nineteen hundred fifty-nine, declaring this to be our Last Will and Testament.

Signed: Marcia Burke

Witnessed by:  
Harry L. Garnett



## FAREWELL ADDRESS

By

HAROLD WRIGHT



FAREWELL ADDRESS — 1959

Perhaps more than at any time in recent history, the nationwide class of 1959 has been affected by the trend of world affairs. With the advent of many striking scientific advances in recent years, such as the satellite programs resulting in the first "Sputnik" in early October, 1957, the United States was shocked into a rapid re-evaluation of its educational system. There have been a number of important changes made on national, state, and local levels which have had, and will continue to have marked effect on the students.

There have been many changes recommended for the improvement of secondary schools. Dr. James B. Conant, former president of Harvard University, has published a report on the condition of our high schools which points out many of the shortcomings of some American high schools and the time-tested, effective methods some schools have employed in improving various courses.

Dr. Conant feels that a science course in either physical science or biology should be required of all students in either the ninth or tenth grades. This required course would be divided into three sections of varying difficulty and students would be grouped according to ability. Then two courses should be offered in both physics and chemistry; one course in each for the student who desires a working knowledge of the subject only, the other for the student with the mathematical ability to further his study of the subjects.

In the Humanities Dr. Conant recommends that there should be several courses. He has found the need for four years of English and either three or four years of social studies, including two years of history and a course in American problems and government for seniors.

In the elective Humanities he feels there should be four-year foreign language sequences offered in all schools, since students cannot acquire mastery of any foreign language in two years. He recommends that all students should include art and music in their electives for a broader cultural background.

How is Natick meeting these recommendations? To

help the student choose the courses best suited to his needs and capabilities we have a good counselling program, with one full-time counsellor for every three hundred students. The counsellor consults with students and parents in helping select sequences of subjects, required and elective, that are best suited to the interests and abilities of the individual concerned. In addition participation in extra curricular activities is encouraged.

Our school is experimenting with new courses and methods of instruction. This year, for the first time, 138 high schools in Massachusetts, including Natick High, participated a course in the Humanities, a series of television presentations for the Junior College English classes. This program was correlated with the regular English, History, and Art programs. Many students were enrolled in a new-type physics course, recommended by the Physical Science Study Committee.

The Social Studies program includes a course in International Relations, an elective which many high schools feel is too advanced for their students. Natick also provides extended language courses in Latin, French, and Spanish. The elective sequences in business training, industrial arts and mathematics enhance the "marketable skill" of these students.

In addition to prescribed courses a wide variety of courses may be offered in a school as large as ours. These cover a broad range for the gifted as well as the average student. When courses are integrated and adapted to the needs of the individual students through the efforts of counsellors, students who graduate from Natick usually have a definite goal.

Natick High graduates have, for the most part, been very successful. They are proud of the education they have received here. The constant changes and improvements in curriculum, in teaching methods, and in student interest will keep our school in the lead. We feel the Class of 1959, like those who have gone before, will be most successful.

Harold Wright





#### GIRLS' TENNIS

Front row: D. Mathews, A. Stewart, M. Donley, P. Miller. Back row: C. French, B. Hunter, J. Wall, M. Burke, M. Larson, J. Butler. Not in picture: A. Phinney, M. Trundy.



#### SOFTBALL

Front row: M. Schaller, S. Nickles, S. Owens, J. Wood, B. Whipp, D. Hawkes, P. Marlette. Second row: S. LeRoux, J. Cella, J. Walters, M. Matson, S. Smith, M. Maffei, M. Legge, E. Reirdan, J. Breda.





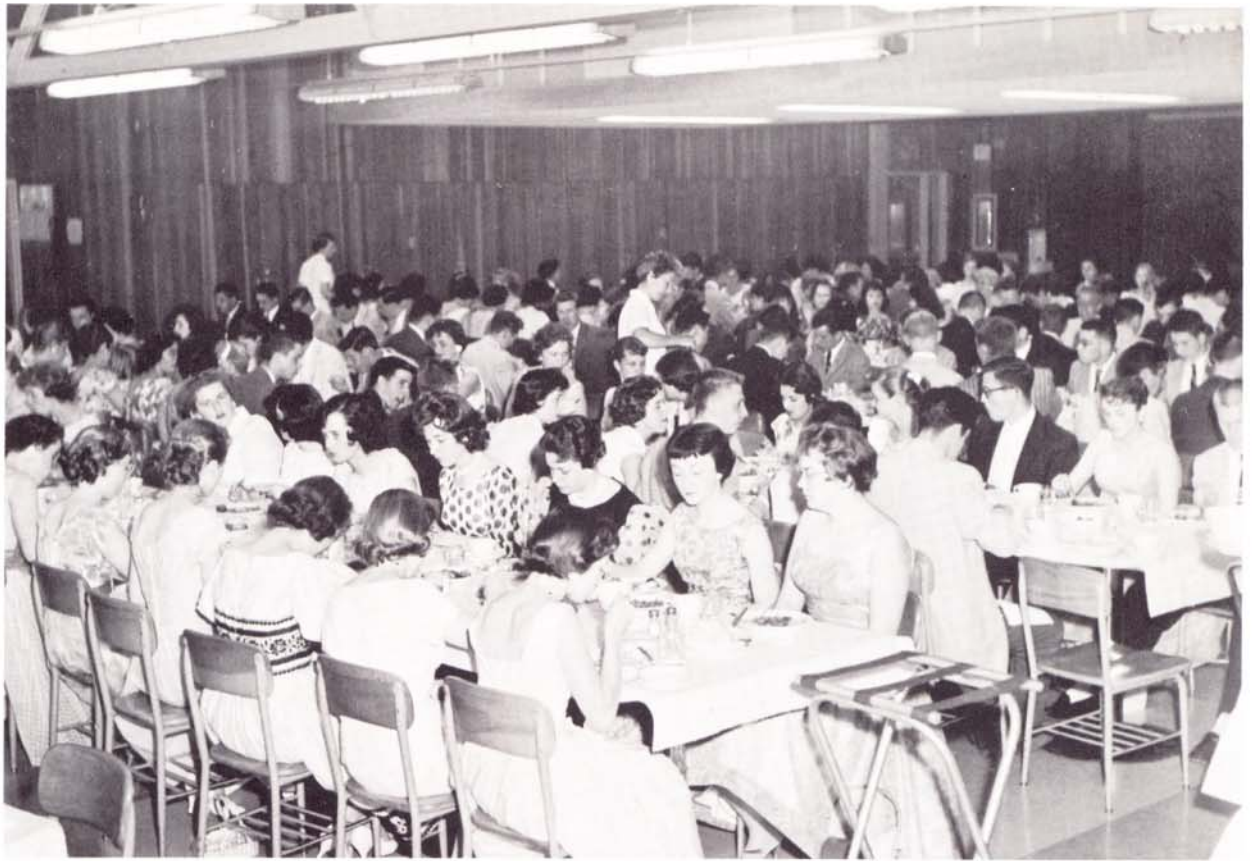




## THE CLASS BANQUET







TUESDAY JUNE 2, 1959







## SENIOR FRIDAY

### JUNIOR-SENIOR RECEPTION

On Friday evening, June 5, the Class of 1960 tendered a reception to the Class of 1959 in the Cafeteria. In an atmosphere of Greek Fantasia, Georgene Knott was chosen



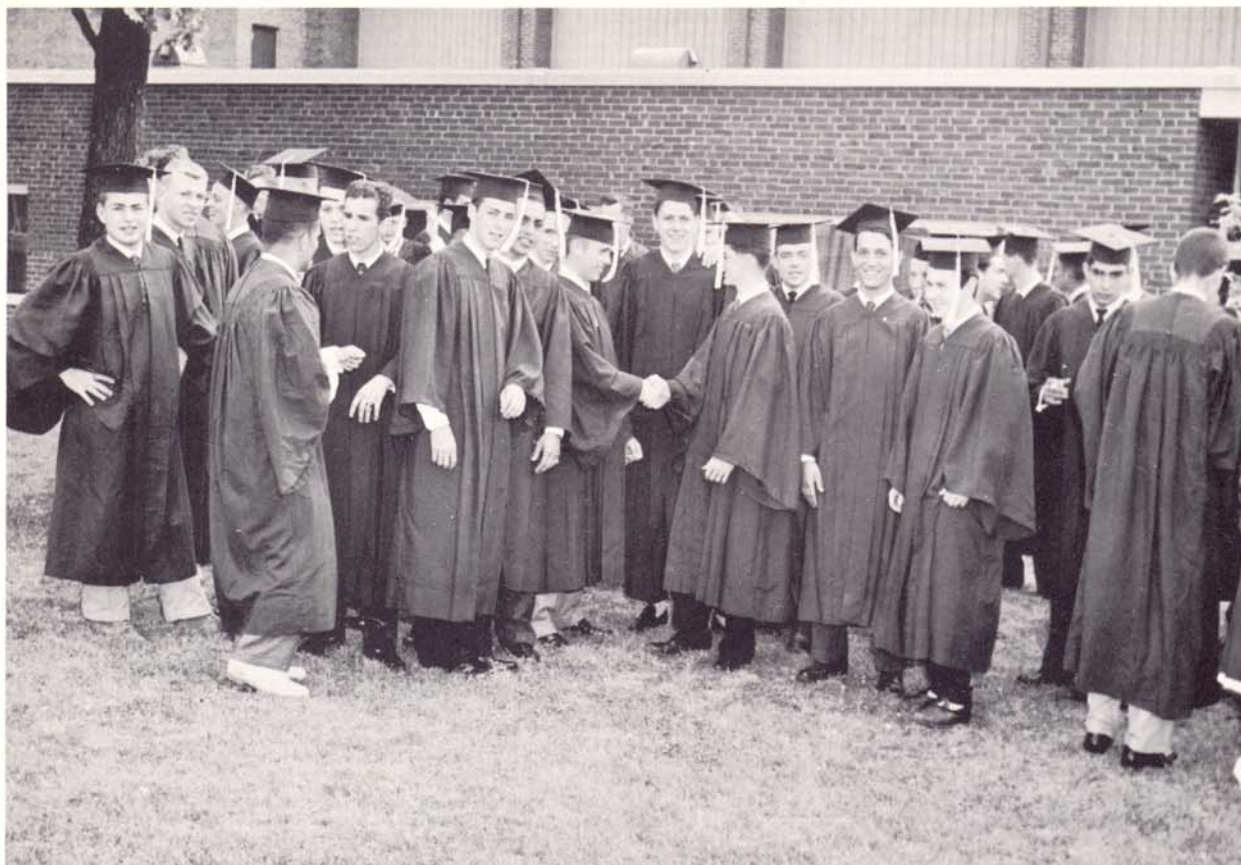


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queen and Marcia Webb and Sherry Collins her attendants. A colorful Grand March, led by Stephen Haskell and Marcia Webb climaxed a memorable evening.



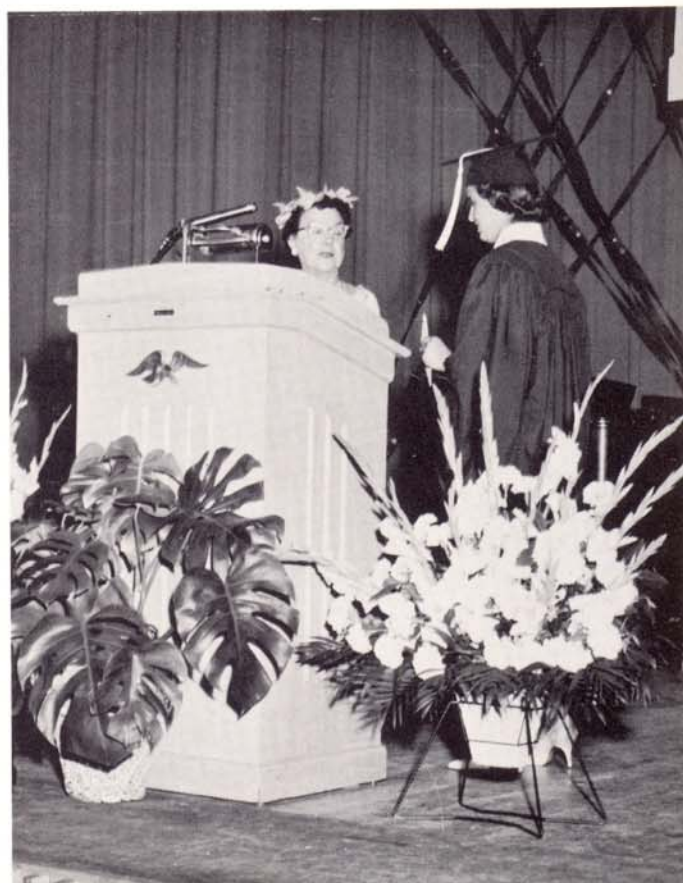




## CLASS DAY



Best All-Round Athlete — Dean Webb



Carol Bellefatto — Just A Scholarship





THURSDAY JUNE 4



Rotary Scholarship — George Williams



Marcia Burke — Will





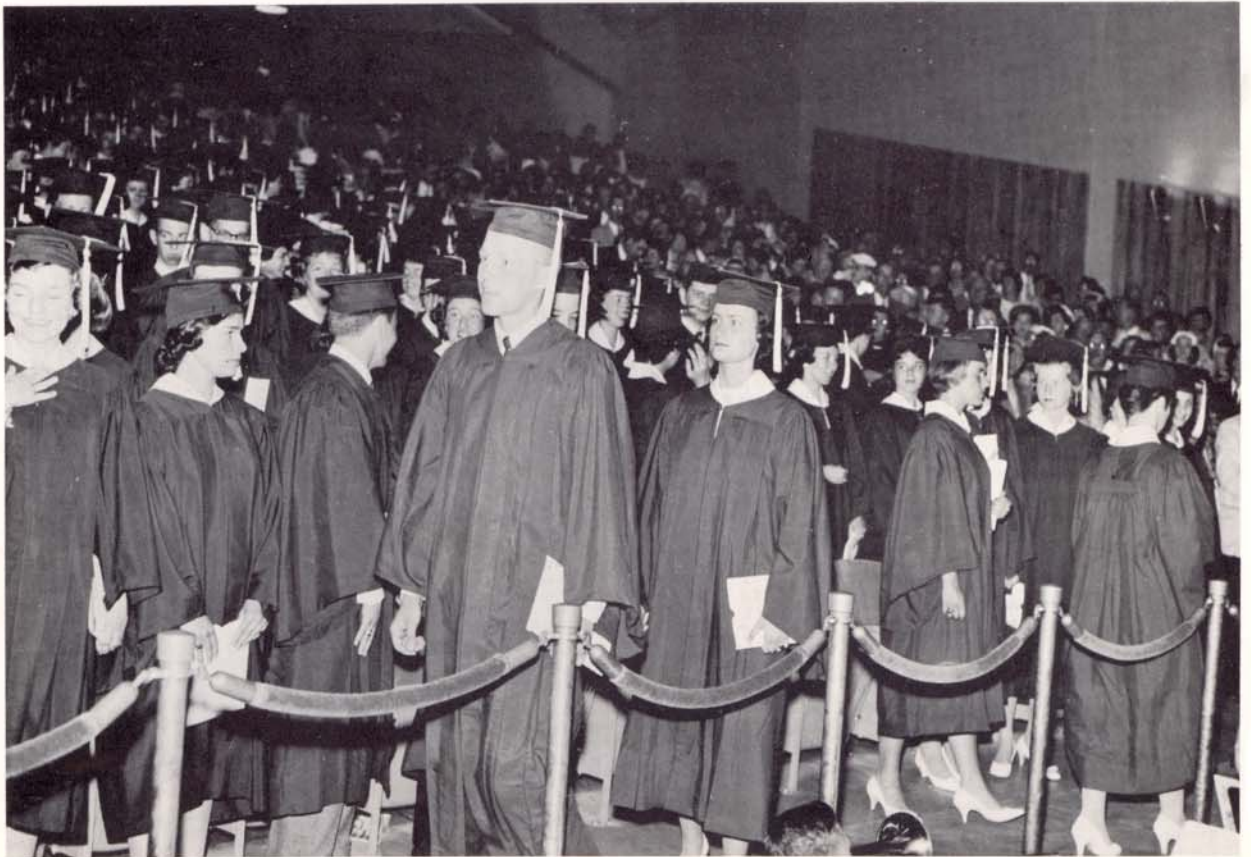
## GRADUATION







JUNE 8, 1959







ON STAGE — LAST TIME



WE ARE OUT!